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ALL IN[illegible]ICATIONS ARE HUERTA WILL RESIGN

Negotiations With Mexican Government Will be Resumed, Provided Washington is Guaranteed Huerta Will Retire, and New Congress Will Not Convene — Settlement Without Resort to Arms Likely.

Washington, Nov. 14.—Instructions were sent to Charge O'Shaughnessy tonight indicating to him the extent to which the United States will go in re-opening the negotiations with those counsellors of Provisional President Huerta, who earlier in the day sought to renew the parleys.

The anxiety shown by the officials close to Gen. Huerta was regarded as a favorable sign by high officials here who expected some definite assurances would be forthcoming quickly upon compliance with the American demand that the new Congress be not convened and that Huerta be eliminated.

The position of the American government, however, is that unless something definite is promised by the Huerta officials the resumption of the negotiations would be fruitless.

The Washington government will not resume negotiations with those officals close to Huerta who are now urging further parleys until assurances can be given of Provisional President Huerta's intention to resign.

This was the status of the Mexican situation late tonight. Efforts by counsellors of Huerta to induce John Lind at Vera Cruz to re-open the entire subject had not been successful to a late hour, it was reported here, Mr. Lind refusing to go back to Mexico City unless some definite promises were forthcoming from Gen. Huerta.

Must Have Assurances.

Chairman Bacon of the Foreign Relations committee, in discussing dispatches from Mexico City stating that Huerta's counsellors were seeking to re-open the negotiations, declared that the only condition upon which that could be done, would be the complete surrender of Huerta.

Though administration officials continued to be optimistic over the support they were getting from the great powers abroad, they did not discuss the situation in Mexico City beyond indicating again that Huerta's elimination was inevitable.

Dispatches from Constitutionalist headquarters at Nogales, Sonora, announcing Gen. Carranza's absolute refusal to accept any "transaction" with foreign nations, looked toward a regulation of Mexico's internal affairs, was not commented upon by government officials here. It was suggested in some quarters that Gen. Carranza's declaration was intended chiefly to allay any feeling in Mexico that he was entering into alliances with the United States, a situation that might be made an issue, it is realized here, and developed discord among his followers.

The Washington administration, however, through William Bayard Hale, it is stated on the authority of persons in President Wilson's confidence, has never offered mediation or any other interference with a view toward regulating Mexico's internal affairs. The sole purpose of the parleys through Mr. Hale, it is pointed out, has been to obtain assurances of protection for all foreign interests in the event that the embargo on arms is lifted.

Carranza Explicit.

Nogales, Sonora, Nov. 14.—Before going into a second conference today with William Bayard Hale, President Wilson's personal representative, Gen. Venustiano Carranza made the most explicit and definite statement he has yet uttered with reference to negotiations involving Huerta, the United States and the Constitutionalists of whom he is head.

"We will accept no transactions," he said, "nor the interference of any nation to regulate Mexico's interior conditions."

After the conference which lasted two hours, Carranza was non-committal. Mr. Hale was also silent, but it was evident that the parleys begun Wednesday were not finished.

Carranza's statement, however, referred to the suggestion from the American capital that peace might be restored, if the contending factions could get together through the American agents, Hale and Lind, and agree on a Provisional President acceptable to all parties who would serve until a chief executive had been chosen at a full and free election.

All They Want.

"The only thing which we ask and which we are trying to obtain from the United States is the free importation of arms into Mexico."

This was the closing sentence of Carranza's statement which was given out as a final declaration. Spoken slowly and with a studied choice of words; it had the effect of finality with regard to any proposition which required of the Constitutionalists anything further than pledges that they would eliminate Huerta in a short time if allowed to import war munitions and that they would then establish order and representative government within a reasonable period.

The grave, reticent Mexican leader would say no more in amplification of his position, but several of his lieutenants declared Carranza's use of the word "interference" merely related to any form of mediation between himself and Huerta.

Tension Relieved.

Mexico City, Nov. 14.—Confidence in the early accomplishment of the aims of the United States toward Mexico was expressed today by Nelson O'Shaughnessy, United States charge d'affaires.

The overtures made by the Mexican minister of the interior, Manuel Garza Aldape, yesterday are taken as evidence that Provisional President Huerta is ready to recede from the stand he had previously taken.

Although Mr. O'Shaughnessy was uncommunicative on the subject, it was understood that he expected to have a further conference soon with Senor Aldape.

Dispatches from Washington published here today indicating the probability of a settlement of the Mexican question without resort to arms, which during the past week appeared here to be a forelorn hope, created an atmosphere of optimism and greatly relieved the tension.

To most of the foreigners in Mexico City, it appeared today that the storm cloud had passed for the time being.

Others Recognize Huerta.

Portugal and Bulgaria have been added to the list of countries whose governments have given recognition to the provisional government of Gen. Huerta. Querido Moheno, the Mexican minister of foreign affairs, today announced that autograph letters from President Arriaga, of Portugal, and King Ferdinand, of Bulgaria, had been presented yesterday to Huerta.

Gen. Huerta's counsellors, who have expressed themselves as being anxious to re-open the negotiations between the Mexican government and Washington had received no intimation up to 1 o'clock this afternoon of President Wilson's willingness. They still hope, however, that Charge d'Affaires O'Shaughnessy will be instructed to resume the conference. Up to the hour mentioned the counsellors of the Provisional President had received nothing definite from Gen. Huerta in the way of promises.

Fighting at Tuxpam.

Vera Cruz, Nov. 14.—Rear Admiral Bousch reports from on board the battleship Louisiana off Tuxpam, that a large force of rebels operating between that town and Tampico has compelled the shutting down of all work in the oil fields in that region, in which 500 Americans are employed.

Sixty-five Americans and other foreigners, including 25 women and children, have been unable to leave Tuxpam. The British and American consuls are urging the Mexican government to send 1,000 Federal troops there to prevent capture of the town.

Refugees Reach New York.

New York, Nov. 14.—With very little money, few personal effects, but bearing many complaints concerning conditions in Mexico, 22 refugees, 14 of them Americans, arrived here today from Vera Cruz aboard the steamship Mexico.

Charles P. Thompson, a mining engineer formerly of Boston, told of the escape from the Torreon district, which he said was infested with rebel bands. The American refugees, he said, made the trip from Torreon to Vera Cruz in wagons, and on foot when rebel activities forced them to quit more rapid means of transit. Mr. Thompson says conditions were worse than was generally known here of the depreciation of Mexican money and the consequent lack of supplies and lack of adequate protection from bandit bands.

Huerta Half Convinced.

Mexico City, Nov. 14.—President Huerta's attitude toward the demands of the United States that he make way for a new government is that of one only half convinced, notwithstanding a few of his closest advisers are urging that he accede.

The representatives of this element in the cabinet conferred today with Nelson O'Shaughnessy, the American charge d'affaires, but were given no assurances that President Wilson has unbent sufficiently to warrant hope that the negotiations will be re-opened.

In spite of this, however, those friends of Huerta who now are convinced that the United States government is not "bluffing," believe they will yet be able to bring about the desired changes in time to prevent a complete rupture of diplomatic relations. This conviction is based upon the fact that Washington has not put into effect its implied threat to remove the embassy or announced any new course of action.

Sir Lionel Carden, the British minister, has conveyed to Huerta an intimation that the United States is earnest in its intentions and is said to have told the Provisional President that the British government is disposed to back the United States morally.

Huerta Deeply Impressed.

For publication, Sir Lionel was reticent regarding his representations to Huerta, but it is an open secret that they were made and Huerta is said to have been deeply impressed when he realized that the Nation which he had believed would stand by him indefinitely, had joined with one which he already regarded as his enemy.

That Huerta's friends are attempting to persuade him to vacate the Presidency or at least to prevent the new Congress from meeting, is a feature of the situation that is not discussed by them except with absolute secrecy. It is one of those subjects which it is considered not safe to discuss.

Huerta is said tonight to be considering his own elimination although this is always denied whenever the direct question is put to any one connected with the government.

Tomorrow is the date fixed for the preliminary meeting of Congress and tonight there appears to be no reason to believe that it will not convene, notwithstanding the unequivocal demand of the United States that it should not do so. The meeting set for tomorrow is for nothing more than the presentation of members' credentials and organization, after which, following the usual custom, there will be a lapse of some days before the body meets to listen to the President's message.

Perplexing Position.

It has been represented to Huerta that the United States doubtless will regard this preliminary meeting as seriously as it would were it the formal day of opening. Those now lined up against Huerta admit, however, that his position is a perplexing one, since the law provides that the resignation of the President must be made to Congress. The only Congress in Mexico today is in jail, and Huerta does not feel justified in compounding his humiliation, friends say, by sending his resignation to the penitentiary.

Advisers of Huerta who are sending an emissary to treat with Mr. O'Shaughnessy insist that this last demand of the United States is an unreasonable one since if the new Congress is permitted to meet, then there will be a body to which Huerta can send his resignation in due form. It has been suggested that a document might be prepared setting forth the only measures that the new Congress would be expected to enact and that care would be taken to see to it that among them there was none which would be objectionable to Washington.

It is not denied that to permit Congress to meet without previous assurances from the executive would be at best but a gamble, but it is contended that any other course is difficult on account of the laws governing the resignation of the President.

Most of the deputies elected in the recent balloting are in the capital and up to a late hour tonight there was no indication whatever that the date for convening had been postponed.

Watching O'Shaughnessy.

Mexico City, November 14.—Mr. O'Shaughnessy has preserved a consistent silence. There is in all Mexico no man more carefully watched by personal friends as well as by government agents than Mr. O'Shaughnessy, to see that he does not leave town and thus confirm the ever-present rumor that he has been recalled.

A question which has been put to Mr. O'Shaughnessy innumerable times is regarding the identity of the man who could be named to succeed Huerta.

London, Nov. 14.—In reply to President Wilson's communication announcing his determination to eliminate Gen. Huerta and his adherents from power in Mexico, Great Britain answered formally that her policy was strictly one of non-interference.

It was understood that the other European powers had sent similar replies.

President Wilson's note to the powers, while it stated clearly his intention to get rid of Huerta, did not, it is understood, include any outline as to how he expected to accomplish that object in case Huerta should remain deaf to persuasion.

Brownsville, Texas, Nov. 14.—An attack on Victoria, capital of Tamaulipas, has been started by Constitutionalists.

Nogales, Mex., Nov. 14.—Culiacan, capital of Sinaloa, was captured by Constitutionalists late yesterday, according to advices to Constitutianalist headquarters.

PREVENT INFANT MORTALITY.

Teaching Hygiene to Little Mothers of Slum Babies.

Washington, Nov. 14.—Teaching infant hygiene to the "Little Mothers" of the slum babies was described as one of the greatest factors in preventing infant mortality by speakers at the opening session here today of the fourth annual convention of the American Association for Study and Prevention of Infant Mortality.

Several speakers pointed out that many firls of poor families were unable to attend school because of their baby sisters and for that reason the instruction should be extended beyound the school room.

Dr. L. Emmett Holt, of New York, president of the association, declared the infant mortality problem could be successfully solved only by community interest and organization.

Storm's Toll Will Pass Two Hundred

Port Huron, Mich., Nov. 14.—For the first time since Sunday, a day has passed without revealing more lives lost in the storm which overwhelmed the Great Lakes the early part of the week. Only one additional boat disaster developed today and that was the wrecking of the steamer Major, off White Fish Point in Lake Superior. Her crew was picked up by a passing steamer.

Tonight the life loss among sailors is estimated at approximately 256, and the property loss is figured at more than $5,000,000. This figure includes the score or more vessels driven on the rocks or shore and damaged or destroyed. One hundred and ninety-five lives were lost on Lake Huron, if the approximate figures are correct, 48 lives were lost on Lake Superior, seven on Lake Michigan and six in Lake Erie.

The identity of the overturned vessel in Lake Huron just a few miles northeast of here has not been established, high seas preventing.

Marquette, Mich., Nov. 14.—Four oars and a pike pole, marked "Henry B. Smith," were picked up on the shore east of Marquette today. The steamer Henry B. Smith cleared Marquette in the height of the storm Sunday night and the finding of the oars and other small wreckage tends to confirm the fears that she was lost.

Pittsburgh, Nov. 14.—Wire communication with Elkins, W. Va., was restored for a few minutes this afternoon the first since last Saturday night when the blizzard hit that section. Conditions are bad and it is expected that the wires will not be working satisfactorily until tomorrow night.

The snow is still lying in the mountains, in some places drifted to a depth of 18 feet.

San Francisco, Nov. 14.—A highwayman held up a Southern Pacific passenger train from Chicago near Richmond, Cal., across the bay from San Francisco, and relieved men and women in the sleeping cars of their jewelry and about $1,000.

HONOR MEMORY OF P. G. T. BEAUREGARD

United Daughters of Confederacy Assist in Laying of Corner Stone.

ECHO OF SUFFRAGE INCIDENT

Kentucky Lady Who Introduced Resolution to Accept Greeting From Political Body Grows Angry and Quits.

New Orleans, Nov. 14.—United Daughters of the Confederacy suspended their sessions long enough today to join with the Beauregard Monument Association and business interests of New Orleans in ceremonies attending the laying of a corner-stone for a monument to Gen. P. G. T. Beauregard.

Public schools were dismissed at noon and in response to a proclamation of Acting Mayor Rich's business in many parts of the city was partially suspended for an hour beginning at 2 o'clock.

The movement to erect this monument was started 20 years ago and today it was announced funds for completion of the work had been subscribed. The monument will stand in City Park and equestrian statue of Gen. Beauregard now is being cast.

Routine matters occupied the attention of the Daughters during the remainder of the day. An effort was made to hurry through the long reports as rapidly as possible as the convention is behind in its work, and tomorrow's programme will be largely taken up with the election of officers and probable selection of the next meeting place.

An echo of the suffragist incident again was heard today when Mrs. C. A. Cantrell, of Kentucky, turned in her delegate's badge and announced to friends that she would remain at the convention only as a visitor. Mrs. Contrell moved on Wednesday that the Daughters accept the greetings of a suffragist convention meeting here. The motion was tabled after a rather spirited debate. On the following day Mrs. Cantrell asked for an extension of time for the reading of a report. The matter was put to a vote and the time was not granted.

It is understood that the committee appointed to select a design for the monument at Shiloh is not satisfied with any design submitted and that new bids will be required. This committee will report tomorrow and unless sentiment expressed in committee meeting today is changed, the award will not be granted.

APPOINT VICE PRESIDENTS.

Governor Locke Craig Announced the Names of His Aides.

Asheville, N. C., Nov. 14.—Governor Locke Craig, president of the Appalachian Park Association, today announced the appointment of Governor Mann, of Virginia; Governor Slaton, of Georgia; Governor Blease, of South Carolina; Governor O'Neal, of Alabama, and Governor Hooper, of Tennessee, as vice presidents of the Appalachian Park Association, and their acceptance of the positions. The association is promoting the creation of a National Park in the Southern mountains.

Key West, Fla., Nov. 14.—John Allen Hanley, 18 years old, coal passer on the U. S. S. Vestal was crushed to death by sliding coal in the bunkers of the ship at 4 o'clock this morning. The vessel was nearing this port when a lurch caused the coal to slide burying Hanley. He was dead when dug out.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 14.—The big British freighter Oxonian, which grounded yesterday in the channel betkeen Newport News and Hampton, has not yet been floated.

OUTLINES

Ambassador Page tendered a banquet in honor of Admiral Badger at Rome. Many of the blue jackets saw the Pope.

For the first day since Sunday yesterday passed without additional deaths being discovered as a result of the terrific storm that swept over the great lakes.

Fowler, called Tammany's "bag man," by Graft investigator Hennessy, was indicted by the grand jury in New York City yesterday on the charge of extortion. It is said that he forced a Republican who held a State contract for road building to donate money to the Democratic campaign fund. Other indictments are expected.

The Daughters of the Confederacy left off business for a while yesterday to join in the ceremonies of laying the cornerstone of a monument to General Beauregard. All business houses in New Orleans closed for one hour for the exercises.

It is thought that the Mexican situation can be settled without going to war. Huerta has just about decided that it would be best for him to abdicate.

The best of order is maintained by the strikers in the Southern Pacific Railroad strike. Both the company and the strikers are well satisfied with the results of the first day.

The Democratic members of the Banking and Currency Committee have finished their bill and have it ready to present to the Senate. The Republicans will finish theirs in a few days. It is thought that both of them will be presented to the Senate one day next week.

New York markets: Flour steady. Wheat irregular, No. 2 red 96 1-2 to 98; No. 1 Northern Duluth 95. Corn firm, 80 1-2. Turpentine firm. Money on call firm, 3 to 3 3-4; ruling rate 3 3-4; closing bid 3 1-4 to 3 1-2. Spot cotton steady, middling uplands 13.90; gulf 14.15.

MURPHY'S BAG MAN FOWLER INDICTED

By Grand Jury Investigating Tammany Graft, as Charged by Hennessy.

EXPECT MORE INDICTMENTS

State Contractors Were Made to Donate to Democratic Campaign Fund Every Year—McGuire to Go Back on Stand.

New York, November 14.—Everett P. Fowler, of Kingston, N. Y., who was described by John A. Hennessy, State graft investigator, as the Tammany "bag man" for contributions from State highway contractors, was indicted today on a charge of extortion.

He was accused of forcing Seneca P. Hull, a highway contractor of Cortland, N. Y., and a Republican, to give $250 as a Democratic campaign contribution under threat that the work on "Hull's $23,500 State road contract would not be approved by the State highway inspectors and that his pay would be held up. More indictments are expected.

Hull told his story to the grand jury today and produced documentary evidence to support it. This included letters from William H. Kelly, Democratic committeeman of Onondaga county, inviting him to meet Fowler in Syracuse; his check for the $250 made out to the order of Norman E. Mack, chairman of the Democratic State committee, and a letter from Arthur A. McLean, treasurer of the committee, acknowledging the contribution "toward the legitimate expenses" of the committee in the pending campaign.

No Record of Money.

District Attorney Whitman has been unable to find a record of the contribution in McLean's statement of campaign contributions.

Hull told the grand jury he did not pay any attention to Kelly's first letter inviting him to meet Fowler. It was his first State contract and he did not know "the game," he said. The second letter being more insistent, he went to Syracuse.

"Fowler told me," said Hull, "that I had a contract for $23,000 and that I was down on the list for a $250 contribution. He said if I did not 'come across' the local inspector wouldn't pass my work, the chief inspector at Albany wouldn't pass my work and that my pay would be held up."

Under the circumstances, he said, he felt obliged to make out the check.

The witness said further that he saw seven or eight other contractors waiting outside the office when he left Fowler.

The next year, he said, he gave $100 more and this check he also produced.

In the opinion of District Attorney Whitman Hull's evidence gives color to Hennessy's story that George H. McGuire, of Syracuse, told him of an alleged meeting in the offices of Governor Dix in 1911 at which Fowler, Norman E. Mack and C. Gordon Reel, then superintendtnt of highways, were present. Hennessy said McGuire told him it was there agreed that Fowler should visit and seek campaign contributions from various highway contractors throughout the State.

The district attorney is strongly convinced that McGuire will make a clean breast of all he knows when he resums the stand at the John Doe inquiry next Wednesday.

Banquet Given in Honor of Badger

Rome, Nov. 14.—Thomas Nelson Page, United States ambassador to Italy, tonight gave a banquet in honor of Rear Admiral Badger and the officers of the American battleships now in Italian waters. Covers were laid for about 50 persons. The decorations consisted of an artistic floral piece representing the battleship Wyoming and interwoven Italian and American flags. The guests included the Marquis Di San Giulna, minister of foreign affairs; Vice Admiral Millo, minister of marine; Admiral Direval and Admiral Bertolini, Gen. Caloagnom, John W. Riddle, former United States ambassador to Russia; the captains of the American battleships members of the American embassy staff and various Americans resident in Rome. Ambassador Page was warmly applauded when he rose to address the diners. He said he was sure he was expressing the sentiments of all those present when he welcomed Rear Admiral Badger and the other officers of the Atlantic fleet to Rome. The entire company joined the ambassador in drinking a toast to King Victor Emmanuel and President Wilson.

Alfonso Calderozzo, former musician on the battleship Utah, today was exonerated of any charge of dishonesty in connection with his disappearance some days ago after he had been entrusted with about $3,000 to arrange an excursion for the American blue jackets.

Calderozzo's explanation that he had been unavoidably delayed was accepted and he was later admitted to the papal audience with 28 blue jackets from the battleship Utah and received with them the Apostolic benediction.

A special audience is to be given by the Pope tomorrow to Rear Admirals Charles J. Badger and Cameron McR. Winslow and the other officers of the American fleet.

All the sailors from the fleet who are now dispersed over different parts of Italy on excursion will gather at

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DEMOCRATIC BILL READY FOR SENATE

Republican Members of Committee Will Finish Theirs in a Few Days.

GO TO SENATE NEXT WEEK

President Wilson Has Practically Endorsed the One Drawn Up by the Faithful Democrats—Hitchcock With Republicans.

Washington, Nov. 14.—The administration currency reform bill as it probably will go to the Senate with the approval of President Wilson, was completed tonight by six Democrats of the Senate Banking and Currency committee. Senator Hitchcock and the five Republican members of the committee continued to write into their draft of the measure amendments which the White House has disapproved.

Arrangements probably will be made tomorrow to send both bills to the Senate for consideration some time next week.

The Democrats completed their draft after working all day and well into the evening in an effort to hurry the bill along. As completed the measure provides for a system of eight regional banks to be capitalized by enforced subscriptions from the National banks of the country with unlimited powers of rediscount and currency issue and the power to hold reserves, the entire system to be under the control of a Federal reserve board.

In today's session the Democrats—Chairman Owen and Senators Pomerene, Hollis, Reed, O'Gorman and Shafroth—made minor amendments to the bill. They cut down the Federal reserve board from nine as fixed by a former vote of the committee, to seven, as originally fixed in the House bill. Secretary of the Treasury and six members to be appointed by the President "with regard to the financial, commercial and geographical divisions of the country," would compose the board.

Term of Office.

Each member would hold office for six years, one term expiring each year, and would receive $10,000 a year salary.

Into the deliberations of both branches of the committee today the question of the guarantee of bank deposits was injected. It was reported during the day that the Democrats had adopted an amendment proposed in the Senate by Senator Williams o Mississippi, providing for a tax of 1 per cent on deposits to form a guarantee fund. After the bill was completed, however, the Democrats declared the matter had been set aside and other matters would be considered in connection with a bill revising the banking laws to be taken up at the next session of Congress.

The Republicans considered a proposition advanced by Senator Bristow providing that after the regional banks had paid 5 per cent dividends on their capital stock and had accumulated a 20 per cent surplus the remainder of the earnings should be equally divided between the government and a fund to guarantee deposits.

Senator Bristow was allowed time to draft his proposal into the earnings sessions of the bill. The administration bill will provide that the banks shall pay 6 per cent dividend on their stock, accumulate a 20 per cent surplus and that all the earnings above that figure shall go to the government.

The Democrats eliminated from the bill the provision that the redemption must be made on a flat gold standard, but it was provided that the new reserve notes might be held in the reserve of member banks on the same terms as gold.

Hitchcock Named "Chairman."

Republicans holding that they were only bona fide banking and currency committee, organized today by designating Senator Hitchcock "the ranking Democrat" as chairman. They declared the secret sessions of Chairman Owen and his administration Senators were entirely outside the activities of the committee. The matter probably will be straightened tomorrow when the administration forces plan to go into the committee meeting and endeavor to arrange some programme for a report.

Senator Hitchcock and the Republicans went after the bill in vigorous fashion. They eliminated entirely a provision allowing the appointment of receivers for insolvent regional banks, holding that a receiver would only tie up the entire reserves of the banks and that there was no possibility of a regional bank failing. The administration Senators put in a provision that no receiver should be appointed, but that the Federal reserve board should "take possession of and administer the functions of any regional bank which might become insolvent."

Re-write Part of Bill.

The Republicans re-wrote the rediscount section to provide that any member bank with eligible paper might secure as a matter of right rediscounts up to an amount equal to its capitalization. Above that figure their measure would provide a tax of 1 per cent for the first additional 50 per cent of the amount of the capital stock and 2 per cent for the second additional 50 per cent. Above this point the consent of the Federal reserve board would be necessary to further re-discount. Under the administration bill the re-discount privilege would be entirely controlled by the regional banks and would be unlimited.

In response to the plea of country banks that they would be unable to take advantage of the re-discount privilege if only paper maturing within 90 days was eligible, the Republicans amended the bill to allow the regional banks to re-discount six months paper up to one-half of the capital of a member bank provided such re-discounts did not exceed $200,000.

Both Democrats and Republicans today adopted amendments, giving the Federal reserve board authority to remove directors of the regional reserve banks. The Republicans, however, provided that such removal must be preceded by notice and hearing of the director.

MAINTAIN ORDER IN STRIKE ZONE

Both Company and Strikers Satisfied With First Day's Results of the Walk Out.

FOUR TRAINS OPERATED

Government Has Been Asked to Use Good Offices to Bring About a Settlement—Strikers Want Engineers Reinstated.

Houston, Texas, Nov. 14.—The first day of the strike of trainmen on the Atlantic division of the Southern Pacific Railroad, between New Orleans and El Paso, ended without disorder and tonight both the officials of the railroad company and the four union organizations involved expressed themselves as satisfied with the day's developments.

President W. B. Scott, of the railroad company, announced that besides two continental passenger trains operated today between El Paso, Texas, and New Orleans, passenger service was maintained between Dallas and Beaumont, Houston and Galveston and Houston and Victoria, Texas. No attempt was made to move freight and an embargo has been placed on the receipt of perishable commodities.

President Scott issued a statement to the strikers announcing "that the door was still open" if they cared to return to work.

At the headquarters of the strikers union officials stated that they were in receipt of information that only four trains had been operated on the lines involved since the strike was made effective.

Hope was still felt in many quarters that the Federal Board of Mediation and Conciliation, which has been enlisted to compose the situation, might secure a resumption of work pending arbitration. Railroad officials have consented to this method of settling the strike. Union officials, however, have refused to say whether they would sanction such an agreement.

Practically 2,500 men are out. Except for the two continental passenger trains, the entire Atlantic system, comprising a network of about 2,400 miles of track was tied up today.

The 67 requests for the men include reinstatement of many engineers and others declared to have been discharged in violation of the contracts, excessive imposition of demerit, requiring of many reports and other information outside of company time, regulations of lay-overs away from home terminals, requests for firemen on engines at certain points and monthly guarantees.

Hanger to New Orleans.

Washington, Nov. 14.—President Wilson tonight sent word to Judge W. Lea Chambers, commissioner of mediation and conciliation now in New York, to get in touch with the strike situation on the Southern Pacific lines as quickly as possible.

Earlier in the day the President called to the attention of Assistant Commissioner Hanger, of the Board of Mediation and Coucillation, the serious embarrassment to traffic resulting from the strike and urged him to go to New Orleans to arrange for mediation if possible.

Willing to Arbitrate.

New York, Nov. 14.—Julius Kruttschnitt, chairman o fthe executive committee of the Southern Pacific Company, announced this afternoon that the railroad compan" was willing to discuss with a representative committee of the four labor organizations now on strike the question of inaugurating a system of dealing with controversies through a joint committee representing all four organizations.

Mr. Kruttschnitt indicated that if their plan failed to bring an agreement, he favored adjustment "in the manner provided by the recent act of Congress."

"It is further willing," he added, "to have the controversy over its refusal to grant the demand actually made adjusted by the board of mediation and conciliation, or by arbitration, as provided in the act of Congress. More than this cannot reasonably be required of it.

"While the company has been opposed to that method of settling grievances and has so expressed itself, it is willing to meet and discuss with any committee of its employees the pros and cons of the question, and it is willing, if unable to come to an agreement on the subject, to invoke the aid of the board of mediation and conciliation, and to submit the matter to arbitration."

HITS BROKEN RAIL.

Fast Passenger Train Leaves Track. One Killed.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Nov. 14.—One trainman was killed, one passenger seriously hurt and several others painfully bruised when the Royal Palm, the new Queen and Crescent limited train between Chicago and Jacksonville, Fla., was derailed near Annadel, Tenn., late this afternoon.

Fireman Oscar Davis was crushed to death beneathe the overturned engine. All the coaches but the observation car left the track. Mrs. E. B. Phillips, of New Castle, Ind., was the most seriously injured of the passengers. A broken rail was the cause of the wreck.

FOOTBALL GAMES FOR TODAY

Interest Throughout the South Centered Upon Vanderbilt-Auburn and Georgia-Georgia Tech Games.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 14.—With the race for S. I. A. A. football honors for 1913 drawing toward a close interest tomorrow will center upon the games between Vanderbilt and Auburn at Birmingham and the University of Georgia and Georgia Tech at Atlanta. Upon these two contests will depend, to a great degree, the award of the championship title.

While Vanderbilt's showing thus far has fallen short of its record in seasons past, the Commodores are regarded by many as dangerous factors in the S. I. A. A. race. Both Michigan and Virginia defeated Vanderbilt this year, but football experts call attention to the fact that Coach Dan McGuigin recently has infused promising new blood into his team.

Auburn's showing has been exceptionally strong. The charging power of Coach Donahue's machine having been sufficient to crumple the defense of such teams as L. S. U. and Georgia Tech. It is claimed by many, however, that tomorow should test Auburn's reserve forces.

The Georgia-Georgia Tech game in Atlanta will have a direct bearing on the S. I. A. A. race, as Georgia now is one of the leading contenders. Defeat of Georgia by the Yellow Jackets would virtually mean the elimination of the Red and Black. The withdrawal from the list of eligibles of Preas, Tech's star tackle, this week, cast gloom upon the Yellow Jacket camp. However, several 'varsity men injured earlier in the season have again appeared in uniform and will play tomorrow. Reports from Athens are that Georgia will enter the game tomorrow in excellent condition, backed by the confidence of having won every game played this season.

Other important Southern games tomorrow are:

North Carolina vs. Wake Forest at Durham.

Sewanee vs. Kentucky State at Sewanee, Tenn.

Florida vs. Citadel at Gainesvile, Fla.

South Carolina vs. Davidson, at Charlotte, N. C.

Clemson vs. Mercer at Macon, Ga.

V. M. I. vs. St. Johns, at Lexington.

Virginia vs. Georgetown, at Washington, D. C.

New York, Nov. 14.—Football games which will have a decided bearing on the final ranking of Eastern college elevens for the season form the feature contests of tomorrow along the Atlantic coast. The battles also will sound taps for several teams, particularly for Princeton and Dartmouth, which close their schedules with games against Yale and the Carlisle Indians, respectively.

The game at New Haven will be the premier contest of the day. To date Princeton has triumphed in every game except those against Dartmouth and Harvard, admittedly the two strongest elevens in the East. The Tigers have rolled up 178 points to Yale's 118.

While the Yale attacks appears weaker than that of the Tigers, if the late shifts and special drilling of the Yale team produce the desired result, the Tigers are likely to find Yale strong on defense and attack.

Dartmouth and Carlisle will meet at the Polo Grounds in this city. This game, if played upon a dry field, as seems probable tonight, should develop a remarkable exhibition of open football. Both teams are extremely proficient forward passes and trick plays, and, composed of fast sprinting, powerful charging linesmen and back field players appear to be evenly matched in all around play.

Harvard is not called upon to meet a particularly formidable foe in Brown. The leading Crimson coaches and several of the star players will attend the Yale-Princeton game.

Pennsylvania faces Michigan at Ann Arbor. It is the last chance for an Eastern eleven to upset the overwhelming list of victories in favor of Western teams this Autumn.

Other games tomorrow include:

LaFayette vs. Cornell at Ithaca.

Colgate vs. Syracuse at Syracuse.

The Army vs. Villa Nova.

Navy vs. Pennsylvania State at Annapolis.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—The football season in the Middle West has reached its climax. On the outcome of three big battles tomorrow representative elevents, of the Central States have staked their year's ambition, Chicago and Minnesota contending for the Conference championship; Nebraska and Kansas struggling to survive in the race for Missouri Valley honors, and Michigan fighting against Pennsylvania to maintain the West clean supremacy for the season. The game at Minneapolis promises to be as near being a titanic struggle as any played in the Conference for years. It is generally considered the teams are about evenly matched.

Among other games tomorrow are:

Northwestern vs. Indiana at Evanston.

Purdue vs. Illinois at Urbana.

Iowa vs. Ames, at Iowa City.

South Dakota vs. Michigan A. C., at Lansing.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 14.—Fair weather and a fast field are all that is needed to make the Yale-Princeton football game to be played here tomorrow memorable in the long list of gridiron contests between these ancient university athletic rivals. In every other respect the contest promises to be a record-breaker. The local weather man holds out a promise of ideal football conditions.

Inspired by the prospects of a thrilling battle on Yale field tomorrow afternoon the advance guard of the thousands who will witness the struggle is already on the ground. Hotel accommodations were as scarce tonight as tickets for the game.

Although Princeton was quoted tonight as a ten to seven choice to defeat Yale, there was little evidence of a great outpouring of Tiger currency. Betting on the outcome was comparatively light.

The Yale eleven and substitutes held a short signal drill early in the afternoon and after the regular training dinner spent the evening at the Yale infirmary away from the excitement. The Princeton squad was quartered at the Country Club near Greenwich, and will not arrive in New Haven until 11:30 tomorrow forenoon.

The line-up as announced by the coaches tonight oflows:

Yale	Position	Princeton
Avery	LE	Hammond
Talbott	LT	Phillips
Ketcham (Capt.)	LG	W. Swart
Marting	C	E. Trenkmna
Pendleton	RG	Semmons
Warren	RT	Ballin
Brann	RE	S. Baker
Wilson	QB	Glick
Ainsworth	LH	Law
Knowles	RH	Baker (Capt.)
Dunn	FB	Streit

BANQUET GIVEN IN HONOR OF BADGER

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the same time and be given an audience in the adjoining halls.

Naples, Nov. 14.—Sailors from the American battleships Arkansas, Florida and Wyoming today visited the San Martine Museum and later were warmly welcomed by the populace of Naples and the surrounding country. The Neapolitans admired the good behavior of the blue jackets.

A Dutch warship arrived here today and the commander exchanged visits with the American officers while the sailors from the American fleet fraternized with their Dutch followers of the sea.

POINCAIRE OF AMERICA.

Wilson Hailed as Such by Robert Underwood Johnson.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—The most important development in the artistic life of the American people at present is that which is about to force all grand opera to be given in English in the country.

This was the assertion of Reginald De Koven, principal speaker today at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Arts and Letters. Grand opera will be popular with all classes of people, Mr. De Koven declared, when it is sung in the language everybody understands.

"The language question is the most important before the musical world now," said Mr. De Koven. "There is no good argument against having our opera in English.

"I can state from the practical point of view that English is even as good a language to sing as Italian, which is called the best singing language."

President Woodrow Wilson and Theodore Roosevelt were hailed as fellow members of the National Institute of Art and Letters by the academicians.

"France, the one country where intellectual things are held in entire respect, has for its President a leader in intellectual life in Raymond Poincaire. President Wilson is the Poincaire of America and Poincaire is the Wilson of France," said Robert Underwood Johnson, permanent secretary of the academy.

The academy will conclude its sessions tomorrow with the award of the gold medal for drama which it seems certain will be given to Augustus Thomas.

ONLY BRIEF SESSION.

American Federation of Labor Spend Day Sightseeing.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 14.—The delegates to the American Federation of Labor held a brief session this morning and spent the afternoon in an excursion to the Puget Sound navy yard at Bremerton.

A meeting was held tonight to consider the formation of a National union of Federal employes, taking in all employes of the postoffice, immigration and customs service, and in general all clerks and employes under civil service rules who are not embraced by the mechanical unions.

There is a general understanding that the National administration is not opposed to the formation of the proposed union.

The Federation refused today to accede to the recommendation of the executive council to change the annual meeting day of the convention to the second Monday in June.

John Mitchell, acting president of the mining department of the Federation, introduced two resolutions, one, after recounting the alleged grievances of the striking copper miners of Michigan, demands a Congressional investigation of the strike and the conditions leading up to it. The other gives endorsement to the Colorado strike.

INVESTIGATION CONTINUES.

Will be Taken Up Today Where Discontinued Tuesday.

New York, Nov. 12.—The trial of alleged graft disclosed by charges that roads and canal contractors in many counties were "sand bagged" by Tammany Hall to making contributions to State campaign funds in recent years, led up State again today.

An assistant district attorney made inquiry in Oswego where he hoped to obtain from a prominent lawyer information to present to the John Doe investigation. The lawyer has acted as attorney for several contractors.

The John Doe proceedings will be resumed before Chief Magistrate McAdoo tomorrow, when John H. McGuire, of Syracuse, again will take the stand if he is in physical condition to do so. McGuire yesterday collapsed after being forced under threat of indictment for perjury to admit it was he who sent the "M." telegram to John A. Hennessy, Governor Sulzer's graft investigator, relative to alleged contributions by contractors to Tammany Hall. McGuire retired in his counsel's care today and could not be found.

USED ASSUMED NAME.

Former President of Nicaragua in New York City.

Washington, Nov. 12.—Immigration officials at Ellis Island, New York, were asked today to make a report on the alleged entrance into the United States under an assumed name of former President Zelaya of Nicaragua. The report was ordered on the strength of reports that the deposed ruler was in New York.

The matter was a subject of considerable talk among the diplomatic corps today. What Zelaya's plans are they said they could not guess. It was recalled that the Taft administration was anxious to secure the punishment of Zelaya, against whom indictments are said to be pending in Nicaragua for his alleged execution without a fair trial, of two young Americans, Cannon and Groce, accused of having fought with revolutionists against him.

While Zelaya could not be held and tried in this country for a crime committed in Nicaragua, it was pointed out that if Nicaragua should ask for his extradition, this country doubtless would honor such request.

SAME OLD STORY.

Chicago Americans Again Defeat New York Giants.

San Francisco, Nov. 14.—McGraw's New York National League champions lost today to the Chicago Americans 3 to 2.

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Fromme, Tesreau and Wingo; Leverenz, Benz and Schalk.

Trinidad, Colo., Nov. 14.—Militia men today seized a quantity of arms and ammunition at a local express office consigned to a Trinidad hardware firm. Adjt. Gen. Chase yesterday prohibited the importation or sale of fire arms or ammunition in the strike zone.

Johnson City, Tenn., Nov. 14.—The Tennessee State Baptist convention adjourned this afternoon, after selecting Jackson, Tenn., as the 1914 convention city.

REPORT OF COTTON CROP

Statement of Census Bureau Showing Consumption of the Fleecy Staple in United States During Month of October.

Washington, November 14.—Cotton consumed in the United States during October amounted to 542,809 bales, the Census Bureau announced today.

Cotton on hand October 31st in manufacturing establishments amounted to 1,072,274 bales and in independent warehouses 2,551,964 bales.

Exports of domestic cotton during October amounted to 1,517,838 bales, imports were 5,372 bales.

Cotton consumed included 17,955 bales of foreign cotton and 31,257 bales of linters. Consumption in cotton-growing States was 273,534 bales, and in all other States 269,275 bales.

Cotton on hand in manufacturing establishments October 21st included 61,482 bales of foreign cotton and 49,877 bales of linters. In cotton-growing States manufacturing establishments there was on hand 576,139 bales and in all other States 496,135 bales. Cotton in independent warehouses included 2,872 bales of foreign cotton and 38,108 bales of linters. In cotton-growing States in independent warehouses there was on hand 2,497,799 bales and in all other States 54,165 bales. Imports were:

From Egypt, 2119 bales; Peru, 1,419; China, 751, and fro mall other countries, 1,083.

Exports: To United Kingdom, 514,054 bales; Germany, 465,525; France, 279,469; Italy, 54,282, and to all other countries, 204,508. Active cotton spindles during October numbered 30,833,024, an increase of 803,291 over October, 1912.

Those in cotton-growing States numbered 12,071,652 and in all other States, 18,761,372.

The supply and distribution of cotton for the two months' period ending October 31st, was announced as follows:

Total supply, 9,647,440 bales; stocks at beginning of period, 1,598,438 bales; ginnings, 8,036,814 bales, and net imports, 12,188 bales.

Distribution: Consumption, 542,809 bales; exports, 2,448,150 bales, and stocks at end of period in manufacturing establishments, 1,072,274 bales; in independent warehouses, 2,551,964 bales, and held elsewhere, 3,032,243 bales.

TOMMY BURNS DEAD.

Famous Jockey Falls Beneath Elevated Train.

New York, November 14.—T. H. (Tommy) Burns, internationally famous as a jockey, either jumped or fell beneath an elevated train in Brooklyn today and was ground to pieces. No one witnessed the tragedy. Burns' fur-lined coat and hat were found on a bench on the station platform. Burns spent last season abroad but has been living at Sheepshead Bay of late. Presumably he was on his way home when killed.

Burns rode for such owners as W. C. Whitney, William C. Daly and several years ago carried the colors of the German Emperor.

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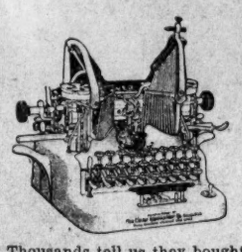

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GOVERNOR'S PROCLAMATION

Thanksgiving in the State—Freight Rate Commission Today—Several Charters Yesterday—Wilmington's Boat Line.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 14.—"After the harvest comes the day of thanksgiving; toil has been rewarded in manifold abundance; the Nation triumphs in progress and power," declares Governor Craig in his proclamation just issued designating Thursday, Nov. 27th, as Thanksgiving Day. Continuing the Governor says in his proclamation: "An altrustic awakening has quickened the conscience of our time, it has commanded the men in high places to nobler conceptions of public duty and inspired the people with the hope and determination for advancement."

After calling on all the people to do no work on Thanksgiving Day and in loyalty, a day of thanksgiving, the Governor says: "I earnestly hope that the day will be fully observed by the farmers, mechanics, miners and by the men, women and children in all ranks of occupations. I call upon the people to assemble in their places of worship that they may in reverence express to the Almighty, their gratitude and faith, that human sympathies may be enlarged and the bonds of brotherhood acknowledged and strengthened. Let us remember the poor and unfortunate and realize that it is more blessed to give than to receive. We are heirs of a precious heritage and let us hope and strive that in this commonwealth, righteousness may be exalted and that to all men may come a full measure of justice which is grander than benevolence and more august than charity."

Two new North Carolina corporations were chartered today: The Newbern Veneer & Pannel Co., of Newbern, capital $30,000 authorized and $1,200 subscribed by Dr. W. W. Dawson, George M. Dunklex and others.

Patterson-Glascock, Inc., Charlotte, capital $100,000 authorized and $10,000 subscribed by E. V. Patterson, A. D. Glascock and others, for stock, bond, insurance and real estate business.

The Rocky Mount Publishing Co., of Rocky Mount, which publishes the Rocky Mount Telegram, filed an amendment to its charter today increasing the capital stock authorized to $10,000 preferred and $10,000 common, with $4,600 minimum for business to begin, of this $1,150 being preferred and $3,520 common stock .

Saturday is the day on which Governor Craig has indicated that he will announce the appointees for the special freight rate commission to adjust the rates fixed in the Justice intra-State rate act and the names of the new commissioners are being awaited with the keenest interest. There are no candidates or active campaigns for the appointment of any one owing to the declaration of Governor Craig some time ago that the seeking of an appointment would really operate against the candidate. Mr. D. Y. Cooper, of Henderson, prominent cotton mill man of wide business interests, is being generally mentioned as likely to be selected. Also there is considerable talk of the probability of Hon. H. A. London, of Pittsboro, being chosen as one of the commissioners. Also Mr. Watts, of Charlotte, is believed to be a likely possibility. Neither of these gentlemen have made any move toward securing the appointment nor are they in any sense candidates, it is said.

Corporation Commissioners Lee and Pell returned today from their Eastern Carolina trip for special hearings at Elizabeth City, LaGrange, Wallace, Rose Hill and a brief stop in Wilmington. They and Secretary Pell, of the Commission, are much pleased at the indications of success that are attending the movement for establishing a new steamboat line, Baltimore to Wilmington, and later New York and probably Boston to Wilmington, with Charlotte and other interior towns actively interested in the success of the enterprise. The undertaking hasn't the specific purpose of cutting present freight rates that many would like to have specified, but there is the declared purpose of reducing rates to the end that a sufficient volume of business may be attracted to the new line and held. There is every indication now of success.

KINSTON SCHOOL SYSTEM.

More Room Needed—Accident in Pitt. Carrier's Device.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 14.—The headquarters of Kinston's model school system is in a garret. Congestion in the High School building caused the faculty there to puzzle over a serious problem. S. B. Underwood, the superintendent, solved the matter, and today very patriotically made a personal sacrifice by moving his office from that building to the Lenoir street grammar school. There he found no spare room downstairs in the one-story house, and undisturbed, promptly had his desk and other furniture carried to the loft. The city will spend $50,000 in a new building early next year, and the present congestion will then be relieved.

News reaches this city of two serious accidents at Ayden, Pitt county. A small child of J. O. Cox and wife, unperceived by the mother, threw coal oil into a stove and was badly burned when its clothing ignited. Both parents hastened to the screaming child, and they were painfully burned in extinguishing the flames. The extent of the little one's injuries cannot be learned, but the parents are in no danger from their wounds. William H. Harris, of the town, while splitting wood with an axe, was injued in an unusual manner. As Harris was about to make a down stroke with the axe it struck a clothes wire, rebounded and struck the man on the head. His family found him prostrate in the yard, unconscious and bleeding profusely. Medical aid hastily summoned dressed the wound, which was of such a serious nature that Harris' recovery, now thought to be assured, is regarded nearly as a miracle.

Claud Herring, a rural free delivery mail carrier of Mt. Olive, has put an ordinary cheap alarm clock to a novel use. By setting the clock for the time at which he wishes to feed his horse, a cord attached to the alarm axle is pulled, disturbs the balance of a set of weights, a drop-door to a receptacle above the stall is opened, and the feed for the horse's morning meal deposited in the feed box. Herring by his invention is allowed more repose, and when he gets ready for his trip early each day he has only to hitch his horse to the buggy before starting on the long drive. The device has been in operation for two years, and has not failed yet to do its work. Herring's neighbors are advising him to have the apparatus patented.

NEWBERN AFFAIRS.

Transcontinental Jaunt—Cotton Mill. Mr. Thomas to Run.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Newbern, N. C., Nov. 1b.—As a culmination of a wager that they could not reach San Francisco in time for the exposition to be held there in 1915, two well known young men of this city have agreed to attempt to walk across the country to that city, providing that $1,000 is put up to be turned over to them upon their arrival there. Now a number of local sports are endeavoring to raise this amount. It is the object of the young men to leave Newbern about January 1, 1914, and to take the trip by easy stages. In order that they have some means of making money along their route they plan to advertise a well known soft drink. They have taken this matter up with the manufacturers of the drink and have been made an attractive offer. As soon as the young men come to some decision as to whether they will make the trip and on what date the start will be made, they will announce their identity to the public.

There is every probability that a cotton mill will be in operation in Newbern by the Spring. For several weeks past a number of influential citizens and capitalists have been agitating a movement to erect such a manufacturing plant and about $45,000 have been subscribed toward this project. It is the object of the promoters to get about $75,000 subscribed and then begin to issue stock. The Newbern Chamber of Commerce is to take the matter up and assist the promoters and the outlook for the erection of the mill is very bright.

Although more than a year will elapse before the present incumbent's term expires, friends in this city of Hon. Chas. R. Thomas, former Congressman from this district, are urging him to enter the race for Congressman from this district during the next term and while Mr. Thomas has not stated whether he will be in the race, it is generally believed that such will be the case. If Mr. Thomas enters the race there will be three aspirants for the office: Congressman Faison, the present incumbent, George E. Hood, of Goldsboro, and Mr. Thomas, of this city. Mr. Thomas held this office for 12 years and performed the duties in such a capable manner that his friends are anxious for him to return. However, it is safe to say that the fight will be a hot one. Congressman Faison wants to retain the office and says that he will be on hand when the gong for the beginning of the battle is sounded. Mr. Hood is also desirous of the place and his friends assure him that they will stand by him to the end.

The board of trustees of the Newbern public schools have advertised for bids for the erection of a new building on the grounds with the other buildings now in use and as soon as these are received and the contract awarded, the construction of the adtional building will begin.

A few months ago the Southern Express Company opened a branch office in this city at which nothing but whiskey shipments were received and delivered. After the opening of this "dispensary" there was a continual line of hacks and drays in front of the place every day in the week. This became obnoxious to the citizens residing in that section and they complained to the board of aldermen. This body considered the matter and a few weeks ago passed an ordinance prohibiting drivers of public vehicles from transporting whiskey through the streets of the city. Since that time it has been necessary for all recipients of packages of wet goods to carry them from the office in their arms. Many colored women are among those who receive packages of whiskey and when the better class of colored citizens saw these women traveling around the streets with a package of booze tightly clasped in their hands they naturally felt that such conduct was detrimental to their race. Acting on the suggestion of a colored leader the members of the colored race who are interested in the welfare of their people are condemning this action on the part of the women of the race and are holding numerous mass meetings. It is believed that they will succeed in breaking up such conduct and cause the negro women to cease carrying whiskey around the streets of the city.

ROCKEFELLER NOT PLEASED.

His Gasoline Not Right and Road Binder Unsatisfactory.

(Special to N. Y. World.)

Greenwich, Conn., Nov. 11.—William G. Rockefeller is finding fault with the product of the Standard Oil Company. He has his chauffeurs testing thoroughly the product of a local inventor of a gasoline saver. He has also told the local agent for gasoline that he is getting poor stuff.

He met Nathaniel A. Knapp, Town Commissioner of Highways, today and complained that a new road in front of his residence was going to pieces, although built this year.

"I'm glad you spoke about that," said the commissioner. "You see, the town used four different binders on different sections of this road as an experiment, proposed by the town engineer. The Mexican binder compound and binder "B." of asphalt, made by the Standard Oil Company, are going to pieces."

"I shall take up the matter personally," said Mr. Rockefeller. "Though this road binder part of the business is separate from the main business, I'll make the company make this road good."

ANNUAL FALL RECEPTIONS.

Biological Society at A. & M. College to Give Entertainment.

West Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 14.—One of the largest social events of the Agricultural Department will be held Saturday night. November 22nd, when the Biological Society will hold its annual Fall reception. Extensive arrangements are being made to make this event a success in every particular, and the reception this year is expected to be the largest ever given by the society. All the students of the Agricultural Department are invited, and a large number of ladies from Raleigh including Meredith College, this institution generally sending a large number to the reception.

Last Saturday night, the Thalarian German Club held its regular November dance in Pullen Hall. The dance was small but much enjoyed. The music was furnished by Falte's Orchestra.

At a meeting of the senior class it was decided to hold the senior dance on December 6th. This dance is expected to be a big affair, and a great success. Committees have been appointed to take care of the details of getting up the dance.

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PROGRESSIVE FAIRMONT.

Electric Light Plant Being Installed—Cotton Crop—Other Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fairmont, N. C., Nov. 14.—The people of our town are looking forward to the completion of the electric light plant with a great deal of enthusiasm and satisfaction. The poles are all set and practically all of the street wiring completed, and a force of electricians are engaged in wiring the houses. In this connection it is pleasing to note that the people of the town are giving this new enterprise substantial support. At least 90 per cent. of the buildings here will be wired. This is a fine spirit for any community to possess, and it is a sure indication of their progressiveness and desire to keep abreast of the times. Mr. C. W. Petty, who is installing the plant, tells us that he will be ready to turn on the "juice" about the beginning of the Christmas holidays.

By the time the electric current is turned on Mr. E. G. Floyd will have his moving picture theatre completed and our folks will have an opportunity to enjoy this entertainment and pleasing pastime. We will also have a very creditable theatre in the Jones building as soon as the wiring and stage is completed and the seats installed. It is a large, commodious hall well located and ought to attract some good shows.

The consensus of opinion among the cotton buyers here is that this immediate section will not have more than two-thirds of a crop of cotton, but the price is very satisfactory and the net returns to the farmers will probably be as large as usual. Unfavorable weather conditions is largely responsible for the shortage, while the large increase in the acreage of tobacco naturally detracts from the cotton production. A good bit of the staple is still unharvested on account of insufficient labor supply.

Messrs. Jackson Bros., of Saulsbury, Md., large stockholders in the Beaufort County Lumber Company, were here this week looking over their properties. This is one of the largest concerns operating in this section of the State. They operate 25 to 30 miles of log road from this point and it takes seven engines to bring in the timber which is re-loaded for shipment to points in Virginia, where their mills are located. Something like 150 to 180 carloads leave here each week, and they have sufficient timber in sight for ten years or longer of continuous operation.

Quite a number of Wilmington business men are on our streets each week. Among those we noticed this week were Messrs. R. C. Sloan, representing W. E. Springer & Co.; C. D. French, representing J. A. Taylor, and A. D. Rich, of the Sterchi-Bancroft-Rich Co.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of D. Archie Bulluck, deceased, late of New Hanover County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of October, 1914, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

ERNEST S. BULLUCK,
Administrator.
This 11th day of October, 1913.

NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the partnership heretofore conducted by the late A. H. Morris and C. A. Powers, under the name and style of A. H. Morris Co., will exhibit same to me within twelve months from November 1st, 1913.

C. A. POWERS,
Surviving Partner.
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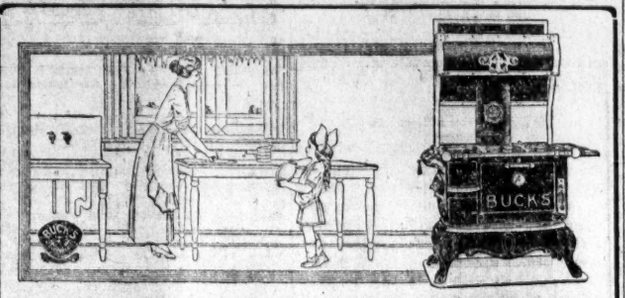

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective Sept. 14, 1913. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90, ! 3:40 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 13:20 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.	No. 91, & 1:15 A.M.
No. 51, * 5:35 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.**	No. 50, *12:20 A.M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65, ! 6:25 P.M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. **Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman Service.**	No. 49, * 6:15 P.M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A.M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52, * 8:05 P.M.
No. 55, * 3:15 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, **All Florida Points**, Columbia, Asheville and the West. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.**	No. 54, * 1:40 P.M.
No. 62, * 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63, *12:50 P.M.
No. 59, * 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate stations.	No. 60, 10:15 A.M.
No. 42, * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. **Pullman Brailer, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.**	No. 41, 10:00 A.M.
No. 57, ! 7:00 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate stations.	No. 58, ! 9:45 A.M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. b Sunday only. a Daily except Monday

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.
T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.
WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

IN EFFECT OCTOBER 6th, 1913.

Wrightsville Beach and Inter-Winter Park, Wrightsville, mediate Points.

EASTBOUND.			WESTBOUND.		
Leave Front and Princess for Winter Park.	Leave Front and Princess for Wrightsville	Leave Front and Princess for Beach.	Leave Winter Park for Wilmington.	Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington.	Leave Beach for Wilmington.
* 6:30 A.M.	* 6:30 A.M.	* 6:30 A.M.	* 6:26 A.M.	* 6:15 A.M.	
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SPECIAL FOR SUNDAYS.

Leave Front and Princess Streets every half hour, from 2:00 to 5:00 P. M
Leave Beach, every half hour, from 2:45 to 5:45 P. M.

* Daily, except Sunday.
! Sundays only.
x Superseded by half-hour schedule Sunday afternoons.
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TO NEW YORK
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New York to Wilmington.
Steamship "Navahoe," Fri., Nov. 14, 1913.
Steamship "Cherokee," Fri., Nov. 21, 1913.
Wilmington to Georgetown.
Steamship "Cherokee," Mon., Nov. 10, 1913.
Steamship "Navahoe," Mon., Nov. 17, 1913.
Wilmington to New York.
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Air Line Railway
Schedule Effective April 27th, 1913.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON:
No. 19—5 A. M., arrive Hamlet; 9:00 A. M. Leave Hamlet, 9:20 A. M.; arrive Charlotte, 12:10 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with trains Nos. 4 for Raleigh, Norfolk, Richmond and All Points North, and with No. 1 for Columbia, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa and All Points South. At Monroe with train No. 29, for Atlanta. DAILY SLEEPER ON NO. 19 TRAIN FOR CHARLOTTE, OPEN FOR OCCUPANCY AT 10 O'CLOCK P. M.
No. 13—3:05 P. M.; arrive Hamlet, 7:30 P. M.; leave Hamlet, 8:00 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 11:00 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Columbia, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa. Also Norfolk, Richmond and All Points North.
Pullman chair car between Wilmington and Charlotte.
TRAINS ARRIVE WILMINGTON.
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No. 20—12:10 A. M., from Charlotte and intermediate points.
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Lv. Norfolk	8:30 a.m	8:00 p.m.
Lv. Petersburg	11:00 am.	10:40 p.m.
Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	6:55 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis	6:32 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

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For Southport.

Steamer Wilmington (daily except Sunday) leaves Wilmington 9:30 A. M. Returning, leaves Southport 2:30 P. M.
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ALL DRAFTS, checks, express money orders, and postal money orders, for the paper should be made payable, and all communications should be addressed to, THE WILMINGTON STAR CO.

Saturday, November 15, 1913.

Now for a Cape Fear Fair Association for 1914!

Death and taxes are hard to escape and in Wilmington we hardly know which is the worst.

We hope President Wilson will soon be able to touch a button and say: "All's over, Mexico is busted!"

After all, wouldn't it be worth while to tie the tails of the city council and the county health board together and toss them over a back fence?

It appears to a man up a tree that if the Wilmington waterworks is all that its best friends say of it, a lot of money was spent a year or two ago for worse than nothing.

The pie counter brigade seems never to diminish. Might not be a bad idea to appoint some of these fellows to the active duties of a position on the border in case of armed intervention with Mexico.

Let's have the Phillies here to train next Spring by all means. It would be the biggest stroke of advertising that Wilmington ever received at any price. And the Commercial Club is going right after them.

The campaign in South Carolina has reached the stage where "I am not, nor ever have been, fastened to any man's coat-tail and seek the support of every voter regardless of his political affiliations past or present."

That proposition of Mr. C. E. Greenamyer to complete the Federal Point road for $5,500 per mile looks mighty interesting to those who would like to see this highway built. And, we believe, Mr. Greenamyer would be able to make some money, too, at that price.

One of the speakers out at the National Convention of the Anti-Saloon League in Columbus could hardly have put it stronger when he said, in speaking of the liquor traffic: "We have tried to regulate the business but it is as hopeless as the evangelization of the devil."

Adjutant General Young, of the State Guard, says that his men are ready and eager for the fray with Mexico in the event of armed intervention. We trust he knows whereof he speaks, for those of us who are not members of the Guard are not hankering after the job.

The Wilmington corn show and arts exhibit was a magnificent success. The good accomplished in the community should prove a lasting satisfaction to Messrs. Hutaff, Herring, Sasser and the good ladies of Wilmington, who so successfully engineered the big undertaking.

City and county special traffic officers are doing splendid work. And while they are looking after the "speed maniacs" in the "gasoline buggies", they might also give some heed to drivers of animal drawn vehicles, who are not always on the right side of the road and very often act like they want to be the real "road hogs."

The editor of the Charlotte Chronicle is certainly our idea of an optimist when in contemplating Thanksgiving, he sings of the times "when the country is Democratic to the core, cotton is selling high, 'possums plentiful, sweet potatoes abundant, Cholly Murphy put out of business, Harry Thaw on his way back to Matteawan, Roosevelt in the jungles and Wilson on the throne."

NATIONAL MUNICIPAL LEAGUE.

There has been in session up in Toronto the past several days the nineteenth annual meeting of the National Municipal League, during the sessions of which all phases of the most intricate problems of municipal government have been discussed by experts in their respective lines.

In all branches of the discussion we have been struck with the favor with which the city manager plan has been received, and we have wondered whether, with all the complexities of the average municipal government, this plan is not, after all, the best that has been devised. It is but one feature of the commission form of government and makes for the greater concentration of power and responsibility. The city manager plan was explained and heartily endorsed at the Toronto meeting by the special committee appointed two and a half years ago at the Richmond meeting. This committee was requested to study the problem of commission government and its developments and in making its report that committee set forth that commission government at present rules more than seven million people in 300 cities and towns. The supporters of the plan, they reported, are divided as to whether commissioners should be elected for specific posts, as in Lynn, Mass., or on a general ticket with power to divide the departments among themselves after election, as in Galveston and Des Moines. The majority of the committee, however, reported that neither solution was as sound as that offered by the plan of electing a commission purely representative and legislative in function, permitting the members to give only part of their time to municipal work and receive nominal salaries or none and leave the chief executive work to a city manager hired by the commission from anywhere in the country and holding office at its pleasure. This manager appoints and controls the remaining city employes, subject to adequate civil service provisions.

Going into a history of the movement the committee, in its report, says that the first city manager plan was embodied in a charter prepared for the city of Lockport, N. Y., in 1911. The proposition, however, failed to get the approval of the State Legislature. The plan was first adopted by the Legislature of South Carolina for the city of Sumter and went into effect there the first of last year. Since then it has been adopted by Hickory and Morganton, in this State; Dayton and Springfield, in Ohio; LaGrande, in Oregon; Phoenix, in Arizona, and Morris, in Minnesota. The committee then tabulates the advantages of the City Manager plan in this way:

"It creates a single-handed administrative establishment instead of the five separate administrative establishments seen in the Des Moines plan. This administrative unity makes for harmony between municipal departments since all are subject to a common head.

"The City Manager plan permits expertness in administration at the point where it is most valuable, namely, at the head.

"It permits comparative permanence in the office of the chief executive, whereas in all plans involving elective executives, long tenures are rare.

"It permits the chief executives to migrate from city to city, inasmuch as the City Manager is not to be necessarily a resident of the city at the time of his appointment, and thus an experienced man can be summoned at advanced salary from a similar post in another city.

While giving a single-handed administration, it abolishes the one-man power seen in the old Mayor and Council plan. The Manager has no independence and the city need not suffer from his personal whims or prejudices since he is subject to instant correction, or even discharge, by the Commission. Likewise, in the Commission, each member's individual whims or prejudices are safely submerged and averaged in the combined judgment of the whole Commission, since no member exerts any authority in the municipal government save as one voting member of the Commission.

"It abandons all attempts to choose administrators by popular election. This is desirable because:

"It leaves the lines of responsibility unmistakably clear, avoiding the confusion in the Des Moines plan between the responsibility of the individual commissioners and that of the commission as a whole.

"It provides basis for better discipline and harmony, inasmuch as the City Manager cannot safely be at odds with the Commission, as can the Des Moines Commissioners in their capacity as department heads, or the Mayor with the Council in the Mayor and Council plan.

"It is better adapted for large cities than the Des Moines plan.

"In very small cities, by providing the services of one well-paid manager instead of five or three paid commissioners, it makes possible economy in salaries and overhead expenses.

"It creates positions (membership in the Commission) which should be attractive to first-class citizens, since the service offers opportunities for high usefulness, without interruption of their private careers."

The Committee on Commission Government making this report consists of Richard S. Childs, secretary National Short Ballot Association, chairman; Prof. Charles A. Beard, Columbia University; Prof. William Bennett Munro, Harvard University; Clinton Rogers Woodruff, Philadelphia; Dr. Ernest S. Bradford, Washington, D. C., author of "Commission Government in American Cities."

CLINCHFIELD TO DEEP WATER.

There is interest and pleasure in the revival of a rumor that there is a movement on foot looking to a change in routing whereby the products of the great Clinchfield coal mines will eventually find their way to deep water via the Seaboard Air Line which, of course, means Wilmington. The Seaboard and the Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio Railroad are reported to be on the very best of terms and recent developments down this way seem to indicate that the Seaboard is alive to the possibilities of its Wilmington-Charlotte link and that a close alliance in the handling of the immense coal output from the Clinchfield mines is not altogether out of the range of possibility. Such an arrangement would mean much for both Wilmington and Charlotte, which, by the way, are working beautifully in harness just now for a greater development of old North Carolina.

The Observer of yesterday has the following with reference to the proposed movement:

"At the time the Clinchfield Railroad was completed it had a traffic arrangement with the Seaboard and for a few weeks ran trains between Johnson City and Wilmington through Charlotte. The Seaboard track between Charlotte and Bostic was reconstructed with heavy rails and steel bridges for the purpose of accommodating the coal trains of the Clinchfield. For a time both the passenger and the coal trains did a fine business and kept the Seaboard rails hot. There was a promise of through trains to Cincinnati and the prospect looked pleasing, which all of a sudden the Clinchfield trains were withdrawn. The Seaboard and the Clinchfield had fallen out. Both were making a pile of money and each wanted the biggest share of it. At least that was the best explanation The Observer was able to get, with the additional statement that the Clinchfield was 'a hard road to get along with.' There ensued a pretty display of littleness about the connections at Bostic, the trains missing by just a few moments—just enough to make it exasperating to the traveling public. The blame was put first on one road and then on the other, but the truth is that both were to blame Last Spring the roads got together on a schedule making connections, much to the benefit of the public. Now comes talk that the Seaboard and the Clinchfield are to resume arrangements on freight traffic at least, and will operate coal trains between the mines and the port of Wilmington. Before the break with the Seaboard the Clinchfield had intended developing both Wilmington and Southport into coaling stations but later it headed for Charleston through Spartanburg. In view of the opening of the Panama canal, it would be to the interests of the Clinchfield to corner the opportunities at not only Charleston, but Wilmington and Southport as well for it has the coal supply and the equipment to haul it. The Observer had been always of the opinion that it would be but a question of time when the Clinchfield would get back to the Wilmington-Spartanburg proposition. The recent talk would indicate that the time is near at hand."

THOSE FEDERAL JOBS.

We do not know what there is to the contention that certain Republican Federal officeholders in North Carolina, who have been asked to step down and out, are not in sympathy with the Wilson administration and would prefer rather to discount it than to co-operate with it in the administration of government, but if such is the case, they should have the decency to step down and out without the necessity of being ousted. Loyalty to the government is enjoined upon the private citizen and it should obtain ten-fold more so, in the case of those who are a parcel and part of the government. If these gentlemen are not in sympathy with the administration and its methods and policies, the polite request of the Department at Washington should have been all-sufficient.

The question of precedent is also set up as one of the reasons why these officers should vacate. Political wiseacres around these parts say that when the Republicans came in control, after Cleveland, that Democrats were dismissed fore and aft to make way for the applicants under the dominant party, regardless of commissions and expirations. If such is the case, there is rather more justification in the policy of the Department than one would ordinarily suppose. At any rate, according to the dispatches from Washington, very soon now, we shall have the verdict of Mr. McReynolds, an appointee of President Wilson, in whom we have every confidence.

MONUMENT TO DR. KERR.

To one in the necessarily circumscribed sphere of a country physician, the erection of a monument on Wednesday to Dr. C. S. Kerr, of Kerr, N. C., by his friends and those to whom he had administered in sunshine and sorrow, was a remarkable tribute to worth and merit. Dr. Kerr left the scenes of his earthly career about two years ago, after a life devoted to mankind. Talented, gifted in his profession and with opportunities beckoning him elsewhere, he went in and out among his own people daily and nightly, administering to the sick and diseased, without thought of greater emolument or the fame which would have come to him in a wider sphere. His was a life devoted to humanity and to his friends and it was especially fitting that his life and character should have been recognized not only in the handsome marble shaft erected to his memory but enshrined in the hearts of his countrymen.

CURRENT COMMENT

Anderson, S. C., having just destroyed $24,000 of its school bonds after due redemption, we are reminded how all too infrequent such occurrences are.—Charlotte Observer

All other things being equal, the movement on the part of progressive business interests of Wilmington to build up that port for the purpose of diverting some of the export trade that goes from North Carolina and from this city to Norfolk is deserving of the encouragement of the people of this community. It is a North Carolina enterprise and a North Carolina city that will be benefited and the reason the matter has not been more prominently brought to the attention of the shipping interests is because the Wilmington people did not display the proper sort of initiative. It is a movement that ought to be successful and will be if the proper spirit of aggressiveness is manifested.—Charlotte Chronicle.

In Charlotte the Wilmington committee found itself at the center of a territory prolific in freight development. We believe the figures of annual shipments, inbound and outbound, will show Charlotte to be the greatest freight shipping point in the State, and its freight business is growing at a rapid rate. There is no question about the fact that much of this business could be diverted to the home port by organized effort, the facilities of transportation being provided there. Wilmington could handle a large part of the freight from this territory and ought to be able to add to its service the important consideration of quick and prompt transportation. It is to be hoped that the meeting in Charlotte last night will prove the opening wedge in the beginning of a larger commerce for Wilmington. The Observer has always regarded Wilmington as the big key to the freight situation, a key ultimately destined to come into evidence.—Charlotte Observer.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Nov. 14.—The University of Michigan will not return to the Western Athletic Conference. The University board of regents so decided this afternoon.

BANQUET AT GREENSBORO.

Freight Rate Matters Discussed—All Sections Represented—Death.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 14.—Freight rates was the theme for all speeches at the "dollar dinner" of the Greensboro Chamber of Commerce tonight. All speakers were given this general theme and no other subject. The occasion was featured by the addresses of Governor Craig and Chief Justice Clark, who declared they were in the fight to a finish and would not stop until North Carolina was given a square deal. Other speakers were: Col. Thomas W. Clawson, editor of the Morning Star, representing the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce; Senator E. B. Jones, of Forsyth; President Fred N. Tate, of the Just Freight Rate Association; E. P. Wharton, president of the Chamber of Commerce; ex-Speaker E. J. Justice and Hon. A. L. Brooks, of this city.

An excellent menu was served. The banquet was held in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium.

Governor Craig in closing his speech at the dinner, vigorously answered the tatements of Chief Justice Clark made in Raleigh a few days ago and to some extent repeated tonight, criticising the Governor for not attacking the lobby at Raleigh during the Legislature and the criticism of the Legislature for not submitting the initiative and referendum as a part of the constitutional amendments.

Judge Clark spoke early in the evening and repeated the statemtnt that the Legislature took the advice of Senator Lodge, "Senator of the Boston and Maine Railroad," and disregarded the advice of President Wilson and Secretary Bryan. He praised President Wilson this time for going after the lobby in Washington, though he did not criticise Governor Craig for not doing the same thing in Raleigh, though he left the inference.

It was nearly 11 o'clock when the Governor got the floor, but after reviewing the work of the Legislature n getting better freight rates he touched upon Judge Clark's statement. He first challenged Judge Clark's statement that the people of the State were being robbed of ten million a year by the railroads and said it was only about four million. Then he praised the Legislature and said it had been more responsive to the people than any recent Assembly. He said it did not adopt the initiative and referendum because there were more vital questions pressing. He declared that the lobby so often at Raleigh during sessions of the Legislature was noticeably absent this time, or if there was one, it certainly failed to get what it came after. The Governor made a vigorous defense of himself, and the Assembly, and expressed regret that chief justice saw fit to criticise them.

At the conclusion of the Governor's speech, Mr. Tate moved that by a rising vote the meeting express its thanks o Governor Craig; Representative Justice and Hon. A. L. Brooks for their work on behalf of the State and show their confidence in them. Judge Clark did not rise, but the other banquetters responded enthusiastically.

Other speakers of the evening were President Tate, of the Just Freight Rate Association; Hon. A. L. Brooks, Col. T. W. Clawson, of Wilmington, and President Wharton, of the Chamber of Commerce. Mayor Murphy was toastmaster. There were no other speakers.

Mr. Clawson told of the growth of Wilmington as a port and the proposed new boat line. Mr. Brooks gave the history of the proposed suit to have the sale of the Atlantic & Yadkin Railroad declared invalid.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cleveland, aged 76, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. H. Blair, this morning. She is survived by Mrs. Blair and one son, J. W. Cleveland, of New York. The funeral will be conducted tomorrow from St. Andrew's Episcopal church by the rector. She was a cousin of the late President Cleveland.

MR. COUNCIL S. WOOTEN.

Celebrates 73rd Anniversary of Long and Useful Life in Lenoir.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 14.—Dr. Ira M. Hardy and Mrs. Hardy entertained at their home on the Central Highway near the city Wednesday from 12 to 3 in honor of Mr. Council S. Wooten, who on that day celebrated the 73rd anniversary of his birth. The venerable scholar, writer and polished gentleman of the old school was never happier in his life. For 73 years he has seen only the bright side of that thing of "mingled yarn, good and ill together," and now when he casts beyond himself in his opinions, "honor, love and troops of friends" are his reward for a lifetime of good cheer and fellow-feeling for others. The guest of honor was the subject of complimentary little speeches by Dr. Hardy, Judge Oliver H. Allen, Hon. N. J. Rouse, Mr. Lovit Hines, Mr. S. H. Loftin, Hon. E. R. Wooten, Mr. J. A. Pridgen and Col. A. C. Davis. In response he assured the company that the occasion and the kind things said about him were appreciated, and in the manner characteristic of him delivered himself of impressions of times past and present and earned many a smile by his witty remarks. Mr. Wooten is a native of Moseley Hall township in this county, and was for many years affiliated with the highest social life of the county and its public affairs. He is a member of one of the section's oldest families. Recently he has resided at Mt. Olive. His work with the pen gained for him an enviable reputation as a space writer in former years, and his career in politics in Eastern Carolina made him famous in the section. Dr. Hardy's admiration for him and the fact that his grandfather and Mr. Wooten's father were close friends in ante-bellum times prompted the invitation to the splendid old celebrant to come here to enjoy his natal anniversary. A fine country dinner was served, with all of the native delicacies prepared in the style that made Lenoir county famous for barbecue and various savory decoctions of its plenteous products, and those who partook of it were a large number of leading citizens and friends of the honor guest and host and hostess.

PROGRESSIVE DUNN.

Visitor's Impression of Prosperous Harnett County Town.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Dunn, N. C., Nov. 13.—The Star representative today visited the enterprising town of Dunn and to his surprise the town is far ahead of what he expected to find. Hon. H. L. Godwin very kindly took your correspondent all over the place in his elegant automobile and pointed out the various points of interest. The town is only 27 years old, but it has two strong banks and several large mercantile establishments, both wholesale and retail; oil mill and gin combined, with a capacity of 140 bales of cotton per day, and several other manufacturing enterprises which means money is kept circulating the year round. Fifty thousand dollars in bonds have been voted and now a fine waterworks and sewerage system is being installed. Two churches, Baptist and Methodist, are in course of erection, which will cost around $25,000 or $30,000 each when completed. Three as well equipped drug stores as one would find in towns much larger. The population is over 3,000. The residential part of the town speaks out for her progressiveness. Two tobacco warehouses are now arranged to be ready to take care of next season's crop. Harnett is not only a fine cotton-growing county but the golden weed also does well for which the soil is well adapted. The Star representative was glad to meet his old friends, Mr. C. S. Hicks, of Wilmington, and Mr. Ed Baldwin, both holding responsible positions with the First National Bank. Your correspondent must not forget to mention the educational advantages offered here. A well equipped $17,000 brick school building with 500 students enrolled shows that Dunn is not behind in educational work. So all this summed up shows that the town has as fine citizenship as one will find in any part of North Carolina.

ANTI-TRUST SUIT FILED.

Mississippi Wars on All Cotton Seed Oil Mill Companies.

Jackson, Miss., Nov. 12.—Practically every cotton seed oil mill company in Mississippi is made a defendant in an anti-trust suit filed here today by State Attorney General Collins. The Attorney General charges that the American Cotton Oil Company is practically owned by the Standard Oil Company and that it controls 9 0per cent of the cotton oil business in Mississippi.

The petition charges that all of the 103 defendants have conspired to fix the price of cotton seed at $20 a ton in this State. It is charged further that the defendants have conspired to control the cotton ginning industry in the State and that they have become dealers i bagging and ties with the purpose of controlling the entire cotton business in all its branches.

RETURN 18 INDICTMENTS.

Against Officers and Members of the Chauffeurs Union.

New York, Nov. 14.—The Federal grand jury returned 18 indictments this afternoon against officers and members of the local mail chauffeurs union, charging conspiracy to obstruct and retard the movement of the United States mail in this city. The indictments are the outgrowth of the recent strike here of chauffeurs employed on mail traffic. The maximum penalty for the offense is two years imprisonment and $10,000 fine. Most of the men indicted are under arrest.

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COURT WILL ADJOURN TODAY

Thomas Dupree Given 12 Years in Penitentiary—One of Quintette of Delgado Preachers Found Not Guilty.

It is very likely that the business of the December term of Superior Court will be wound up by noon today, when adjournment will be taken. This is Judge Rountree's last term of criminal court in New Hanover for a long time, for beginning with the first of the new year he will ride another district. He will, however, have another term of court in this county, presiding over the civil term in December.

Thomas Dupree, the negro who was found guilty Friday of the murder of George Nixon, colored, at Pocomoke factory October 6th, with recommendation of mercy by the jury, was sentenced by Judge Rountree to 12 years in the State penitentiary.

Will Berry and Hattie Blufield, colored, who plead guilty to perjury in connection with their testimony in the case before the coroner's jury and who were used as witnesses against the defendant in the case in Superior Court, were sentenced yesterday. The Blufield woman received a term of two years in the penitentiary, while Will Berry was given one year on the county roads.

Carrie James, colored, who was convicted of violating the prohibition law in one case, was given one year on the county farm in one case, while a nol pros with leave was taken in th other. Dave Sidbury, colored, for simple assault, got 30 days on the roads. Virgil LeVane, colored, entered a plea of guilty to a charge of entering the place of business of the Mathews Candy Co., but sentence has not been pronounced. A case against Mollie Taylor was nol prossed with leave.

In a case against John Carter and Mrs. Lillie Johnson, charged with living together in illegal relations, a capias was issued and the case continued. Similar entry was made in the case of Walter Thomas, colored, charged with murder.

Sis Baldwin, a notorious character, desires to reform, so she told the court yesterday. Judge Rountree was disposed to help her carry out her announced purpose of becoming a better citizen. She was charged with nuisance. Prayer was continued for two years upon condition that the defendant be of good behavior for that period of time.

Most of yesterday in court was taken up with the trial of Macon Cavenaugh, one of the five preachers arrested at Delgado some weeks ago and charged with nuisance, it being alleged that they disturbed the people of the mill village in their services, which they claim ran to a very late hour at night. When the State rested its case the defense made a motion for non-suit, which was overruled by Judge Rountree. Judge Rountree remarked that the point in the case was whether or not the noise was unreasonably loud and of such character as to disturb the quiet, peace and rest of the citizens of the village. The jury got the case at 6 o'clock and 10 minutes later returned a verdict of not guilty.

There are four other defendants charged with a similar offense and as the evidence is pretty much the same as adduced in the trial of Mr. Cavenaugh it is not unlikely that a nol pros will be taken in the case. The other defendants are: C. W. Harvell, Ralph Mills, Jarvis Mills and Reuben Jarvell.

The defendants were represented by Herbert McClammy and L. Clayton Grant, Esqs.

The grand jury has about finished its work of the term and will be ready to make report this morning.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Mr. Grady Cook Found Guilty of Assaulting Joe Mason, a Convict.

The Recorder yesterday found Mr. Grady Cook, an officer at the county convict camp, guilty of assaulting Joe Mason, a convict, and taxed him with the costs. The case was heard Thursday morning but judgment was reserved until yesterday morning. The Recorder in giving his decision stated that he thought that the officers at the camp had the right to discipline convicts when they were unruly by moderately chastising them, and that he only found Cook guilty because of the peculiar circumstances of the case.

The whipping of Mason by Cook for his conspiring with Barney Lear to escape constituted a punishment for an offense for which a penalty was already established under the law, the Recorder stated, and, therefore, he held that Cook had no right to chastize Mason. Had it been for an ordinary act for which no penalty was provided under the law the Recorder stated that he would have found him not guilty. Notice of appeal was filed, and the matter will probably go to this term of Superior Court for a final decision.

Officer Bullard was again on the warpath Thursday afternoon and there were several in court charged with speeding. Judgment was suspended upon payment of the costs in cases against Messrs. J. O. Brock and C. B. Parmele, and Wiley Wright, colored.

Richard Mack, colored, was fined $10 and the costs for assaulting Athlee Davis, colored, or if he was unable to pay this an order was made that he go to the roads for 60 days. Nelson Jenkins, colored, got the same sentence for assaulting Julia Moore, colored. They were committed to jail, and had not arranged to pay the fines yesterday afternoon.

EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS.

Special Services at Brooklyn Baptist Church Beginning Sunday Night.

Special evangelistic meetings are planned to begin Sunday night at the Brrooklyn Baptist chuch, and will be held on each night for the following ten days. They will be somewhat out of the ordinary in that each subject will be illustrated with beautifully colored stereopticon views. The sermons that will be illustrated are as follows: Sunday, "The Good Samaritan;" Monday, "The Good Shepherd;" Tuesday, "The Great Supper;" Wednesday, "The Sower;" Thursday, "Marriage of the King's Son;" Friday, "The Story of the Blind Man;" Sunday, November 23rd, "The Prodigal Son;" Monday, "The Wise and Foolish Virgins;" Tuesday, "The Talents;" Wednesday, "Stations of the Cross." A special feature of each service will be "Songs of the Dark" when illumined hymns will be projected upon the screen. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Old "Hoss" Sale.

The annual old "hoss" sale of the Southern Express Company will be conducted, beginning this morning at 10:30 o'clock in the building formerly known as the Crystal Palace, on Second street. Some rare and interesting bargains are promised patrons of the sale.

AFTERMATH OF BIG FAIR

Exhibits Removed from Building Yesterday—All Pleased—Event Proved Big Success from Every Standpoint.

Yesterday witnessed the formal closing of the Corn Show and Fine Arts and Industrial Exhibit, and those who have had it in charge spent the day in removing the exhibits, and closing up the financial affairs of the fair, which was a fine success from every standpoint. The building was kept open during the morning so that those who wished to purchase fancy articles and other things that were displayed, could do so.

The committee in charge of the Corn Show consisting of Messrs. L. B. Sasser, George H. Hutaff and J. P. Herring, kept this part of the fair open in order that the colored farmers and others who were interested in it might see something of what the white farmers and their sons had been able to do in the way of growing agricultural products. Many called, and were greatly interested in the display.

The ladies of Sorosis who worked so faithfully and zealously in getting up the fair, and who for the past three days scarcely had time to sleep or eat were happy over the success which they achieved. Not only were they successful in financing their part of the fair, but the great interest shown was also a source of great satisfaction to them.

There were many articles of fancy work which were not sold, and these have been placed in Haar's Quality Shop. Those who wish to purchase these for Christmas presents or for their own use are invited to call and look them over.

The perishable part of the exhibits were for the most part donated to the charitable institutions of the city. The Associated Charities was given a part of the agricultural products to be given to the poor of the city.

Through an oversight the name of Laurence Winton Boon was omitted from the list in the Better Babies contest, he having scored 98, while the prize winner scored 98 1-2.

The Sorosis has on hand a good supply of Astyptodyne, Apinol and other turpentine products which were made in Wilmington. They will sell these privately, and those who desire further particulars should phone 1299-J.

RECORD BREAKING CROWD.

Two Splendid Games of Basketball at the Boys' Brigade.

The games of basketball at the Boys' Brigade last night were witnessed by the largest crowd of the season, a crowd which taxed the seating capacity to its fullest and then overflowed into the gymnasium, every available spot where one might stand, sit or hang on, being occupied by a wild rooter and all had something to keep him busy every moment of the time.

The new team captained by Clarence Davis which entered the league to take the place of Company A team was stacked up against Company B for its first game and the boys did themselves proud. This was the first game these teams have ever played together and they went into the game expecting to lose, but determined to put up the best fight of which they were capable and they surprised themselves, Company B and the spectators by their fast work. They fouled rather more frequently than was necessary and this lost them the game for while they caged the ball 16 times from the field to Company B's 13, they only secured one point from the foul line, whereas Company B out of 20 throws secured 14 points and the game. The game was fast from the beginning and aroused such enthusiasm as has not been seen in the Brigade this season.

The second game between the Eagles and the Cardinals was a very fast affair of the light kind. In this game the special feature was the passing of both teams. This was of the ning kind, which kept the eye busy every moment. First one team would set the ball going around the room then the other and almost every goal which was made was from some fast play which never failed to produce a cheer from the spectators. The Eagles were especially weak in shooting for goal. They had throw after throw most of which failed to produce any points for them. They should have had many points to their credit, but hard luck pursued them throughout the game. The ball would fall into the basket but would jump out again or it would roll around the rim and always fall out or something else equally as disappointing would occur. The Cardinals had better fortune for they seldom failed to score whenever an opportunity would present. The final score was Cardinals 30, Eagles 8.

REQUEST FOR WATER EXPERT.

Surgeon General Asked to Send Man to Wilmington.

Mayor Moore yesterday made request o fthe Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service at Wasnington, that he send a government water expert to Wilmington to make an investigation of the public water supply, both present and prospective, and advise the City Council what steps should be taken to improve the supply. This action was in accordance with a resolution adopted by the City Council Monday morning.

The request for government experts in health matters are properly made through the State Board of Health, so Mayor Moore asked the State Board of Health to join in the application. He received the following telegram yesterday from Dr. W. S. Rankin, secretary of the State Board of Health, in response to his request of that board: "Have wired Surgeon General; 'State Board of Health glad to approve request of Mayor P. Q. Moore, of Wilmington.'"

Mayor Moore stated yesterday that he expected prompt action would be taken by the Surgeon General and if the department has an expert available man that he will be sent to Wilmington immediately.

A few days ago Mr. W. E. Worth, who is very much interested in the water question, obtained from the Bureau of Geology information relative to a geological survey that has been made of this entire section by the government. Maps, charts, etc., sent to him indicate very strongly that good water in abundance can be obtained here.

Bright Prospects for Orchestra.

The prospects are bright for having a Y. M. C. A. orchestra at an early date. Mr. C. E. Cline, secretary of the boys' work, will have charge of the rehearsing, and the first rehearsal will be held Wednesday night. There are already ten members who have agreed to take part in the rehearsal, and the indications are that within a short time the Y. M. C. A. will have one of the best and largest orchestras in the city.

GOING AFTER THE PHILLIES

Enthusiastic Meeting of Wilmington Citizens Under Auspices of Commercial Club Last Night. Tentative Plan.

It was a most enthusiastic gathering of citizens generally that assembled last night in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of discussing means for securing the annual Spring training of the Philadelphia National League baseball team in Wilmington early in the new year. As a result of the meeting a tentative plan was agreed upon which ought to enlist the encouragement and liberal support of every true Wilmingtonian and especially of the local fans.

The meeting was rather under the auspices of the Commercial Club, which has been most actively engaged in the effort to have the Phillies train here, and Mr. C. E. Greenamyer was called to the chair and Mr. Meares Harriss was asked to act as temporary secretary. Mr. Greenamyer and others explained the strong likelihood of Wilmington's being selected for the Spring training and spoke of the great desirability of the successful culmination of the effort. Recently, with Mr. John W. Blomme, he made a personal trip to Philadelphia and went into the matter quite thoroughly with the managers of the club. The conditions to be met were fully gone into and it was believed that Wilmington would meet these conditions easily. All arrangements are under way for grounds, grandstand, etc., and these can easily be provided by the date they are required.

The plan as finally agreed upon was suggested by Mr. C. N. Evans and this contemplates the organization of a stock company of $5,000 capital, 500 shares of the par value of $10 each, thus giving every public spirited citizen an opportunity of enlisting in the movement. This stock would be payable one-fourth cash and the balance in three equal payments in 30, 60 and 90 days. The plan as suggested was adopted upon motion of Mr. A. B. Skelding and steps were taken for the beginning at once of the fruition of the plans of the proposed company.

Canvass for the stock in the proposed enterprise will begin at once and Col. Walker Taylor was unanimously chosen as chairman of the committee to interest the people of Wilmington in this public-spirited enterprise. Other members of the committee were named as follows: Messrs. Wiliam Struthers, H. L. Fennell, C. L. Dickinson, John W. Blomme, Bert Kite and B. F. Brittain, Jr. Details of the plans for financing the proposition will be made known to all upon a call from the committee and the plan will recommend itself to Wilmingtonians both upon a public spirited and an investment basis. As an earnest of the success of the movement subscriptions were called for on the floor of the Chamber of Commerce last night and a goodly sum was received before the gathering left the room. Of course, if the training camp is not secured, the money will be returned to subscribers, but the chances are exceedingly good and every Wilmingtonian in the movement will have an opportunity of doing a real service to his community at a very small cost.

THE KNEISEL QUARTETTE.

Fine Musical Entertainment at St. Andrew's Church Tonight.

The Kneisel Quartette, one of the leading musical attractions of the country, will make its first appearance in Wilmington tonight at 8:30 o'clock in Memorial Hall at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. This is the third number of the Lyceum Course given under the auspices of the Brotherhood of this church. Wilmington people are fortunate indeed to have the opportunity of hearing these well known musicians here, and there will no doubt be a large audience in attendance.

The programme which will be rendered is an ideal one in which the quartette will be able to display not only its technique, but above all its wonderful ensemble and musicianship which has raised the members of the company to their present exalted positions in the field of music.

In the delightful Schumann Quintette, one of the most tuneful compositions ever written, the quartette will have the assistance of Miss Frieda Siemens. Miss Siemens has an excellent reputation as a concert pianist, and her engagement with the quartette should be a sufficient guarantee of her ability.

Yesterday's News and Observer has the following in regard to their concert at Meredith College Thursday night:

"The audience which crowded the Meredith College auditorium last night to hear the Kneisel Quartette had a royal and more than royal treat. The distinguished artists who make up this remarkable organization made a programme of the most refined and intellectual music as enjoyable and popular as the most untechnical layman in the audience could have desired. And as for those in the audience who follow the art of music, thrills of joy ran through them continuously for a blessed hour and a half. That the Kneisel Quartette was in little old Raleigh was hard after all to believe.

"The Kneisel Quartette is not merely an aggregation of soloists. It is a unit; a body of players who have collectively attained the highest pitch of technical excellence, refinement and unanimity. They have attained a sort of intuition which makes possible the utmost delicacy and precision. The playing of this premier string quartette of America is a remarkable example of intellectuality plus poetry, of solid and finished technique carrying the best thoughts of the great composers."

Song and Prayer Service.

Tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock there will be a song and prayer service at the Y. M. C. A. building on Market street, to which all interested are invited. The leader will be Mr. Edward Roberts, boys' work director, who has had much experience as a director of congregational singing. These meetings have proven to be most profitable to those who have been attending them, and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance tomorrow afternoon. The last service of the week of prayer will be held tonight from 7:30 to 8 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. and will be conducted by some Christian layman of the city. The public is invited to attend this service.

Report of Treasurer.

Following is the report of the treasurer of the Associated Charities for the month of October. Receipts—New Hanover county $200; Mr. H. W. Konig, $2.50; Mrs. W.., $2; unknown friends $1. Disbursements—Secretary's salary $33.33; Catherine Kennedy Home $12.50; groceries $176.50; rent for those in need $14.50; cash help $3.95; telephone $2.33; wood $1.

STEAMER C. W. LYON BURNED

Capt. Henry W. Edge, the Mate, Drowned in Effort to Swim to Shore—Others Have Narrow Escape.

Fire originating from an unknown cause in her cargo of cotton amidships, spreading rapidly to other parts of the vessel, destroyed the river steamer C. W. Lyon in the Cape Fear river, at Hood's Creek, 20 miles above Wilmington, and Capt. Henry W. Edge, the mate, of Fayetteville, was drowned in his efforts to swim ashore, while several others had narrow escape from a similar fate, yesterday morning at 11 o'clock. The property loss, including the cargo, will be in the neighborhood of $30,000, it is estimated.

The Lyon was owned by the Merchants & Farmers' Steamboat Company and was sister ship of the City of Fayetteville, which was sunk in the harbor here September 29th, without any apparent cause. Both boats plied between Wilmington and Fayetteville and their loss means that there is no craft on the river between the two points now, though it is not expected that this will long remain the case.

The Lyon was proceeding from Fayetteville to Wilmington at about 12 miles an hour when one of the passengers discovered a blaze among the cotton amidships. Fire drills have been held on the steamer regularly and when the fire bell and whistle sounded members of the crew almost instantly were at their places and had streams of water on the blaze. Fire pump and hose were brought into play. The seven passengers also responded to the alarm.

The pilot, Barney Baldwin, colored, who has been on the river about 40 years, backed the boat into the east side of the river as quickly as possible.

Some of the crew and seven male passengers were in the bow of the boat on the first deck. The fire burned so rapidly that it was impossible for them to get to the rear, and they had to jump into the middle of the river, when the vessel swung around to back ashore, in order to make their escape.

Cape. Edge was one of the last to leave the vessel. He had done yeoman service in fighting the flames, but when it came to jumping overboard, realizing his inability to swim, he was noticed to hesitate. He then jerked off his coat and hat and plunged into the water. It is said that several of those who had already made shore called to him to get a life preserver or one of several planks on deck, but he did not hear them or if he did, he did not heed. They also threw clumps into the river for him, but he did not notice any of them. In some unaccountable manner he managed to get half way to shore before he went down. He never rose again. The body has not been recovered, though the river was dragged for it late in the afternoon.

Capt. W. F. Register, who was in command of the vessel, was in the cabin when the fire broke out, counting the money which he had on hand and balancing his books. When the alarm was sounded he rushed out and was able with the assistance of Capt. W. H. Ward, assistant engineer, to rescue Miss Brisson, the only lady passenger, who occupied a cabin in the stern of the boat. Capt. Register passed over the top of the boat to the lady before the heat became so intense. She was passed over the stern wheel to the shore. He could not return to the bow of the boat on account of the flames and then he went ashore and directed the work of rescuing the passengers who were in the front of the boat.

A number of colored men, members of the crew, who were in the stern of the vessel went ashore. They tossed several barrels of turpentine overboards and got logs, clumps and anything that they could lay their hands on to throw out to the others who were in the river.

There were life preservers and a life boat on the vessel, but these were quickly burned by the flames, it is said, and could not be reached by the crew. Many of the passengers and several members of the crew had narrow escapes.

Mr. H. J. Lyon, of Elizabethtown, a passenger, probably had the narrowest escape. He cannot swim. Luckily he caught a log which was drifting down the stream and was able to stay above water until rescued by some colored fishermen in a boat half a mile down the river. Once he faltered and those who had followed him down stream shouting words of encouragement from the shore notis, that he was almost ready to give up the fight. This was before he caught the log and when he had only a small timber to rely upon. After he got hold of the larger timber he drifted along with the current with comparative ease until he was rescued.

Abe Dunn, a member of the crew, had a narrow escape also. He could not swim, but one of those who could jumped in after him.

As soon as the passengers were gotten ashore Captain Register sent a messenger to a 'phone nearby and notified Mr. S. M. King, local agent for the company here. He and Mr. T. D. Love, secretary of the company, left Wilmington about 1 o'clock in the launch George Lyon to meet the passengers and crew to Wilmington. They reached the scene of the disaster about 4:40 o'cloc, and after making a futile effort to find the body of Captain Edge returned to this city, reaching here about 8 o'clock last night.

They left two men to continue the search. The news of the tragic event rapidly spread through the surrounding country, and a large number of people came to render what assistance they could to the distressed passengers and crew.

Captain Edge was 42 years of age, and had been on the river since he was 18 years of age, and was an experienced boatsman. He lived at Fayetteville, where he has a wife and two children. He was a man greatly liked by all who knew him and the members of the crew were profoundly saddened by his sad death. He was captain of the City of Fayetteville before she was sunk.

The steamer C. W. Lyon was a stern-wheeler, and was built in 1904 in Wilmington. Her cost was $21,000. She was a combined freight and passenger steamer and has been making several trips a week between Wilmington and Fayetteville. Several weeks ago the City of Fayetteville, another steamer owned by the Merchants and Farmers' Steamboat Company, was sunk at the wharves of the Champion Compress here, and the loss of the second boat comes as a heavy loss to the company. The company carried fire insurance to the amount of $8,000 on her.

Her cargo yesterday consisted of 97 bales of cotton, consigned to Alexander Sprunt & Son; 100 barrels of turpentine, several bales of dog tongue, several thousand pounds of pork and a variety of other freight, valued at about $30,000.

There were seven passengers on the boat, most of these coming to Wilmington last night on the George Lyon. Included in the passenger list were Messrs. N. L. and D. M. Tatum, H. J. Lyon, Dixon Smith, D. R. Blizzard, Miss Brison, Ed Jessup.

Capt. W. H. Ward and three of the negro members of the crew walked from the point where the vessel was burned, reaching Wilmington about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Captain Ward went to Phoenix expecting to catch the train there but arrived too late. He then set out on foot and when he got to Navassa was picked up by a shifting engine and brought to the city. With the exciting experience of the day and the long walk of 13 miles he was almost completely exhausted.

Captain Ward was assistant engineer and Captain Edge was the mate. They worked on the same watch, and had gotten off duty at 8 o'clock yesterday morning. As the vessel was expected to reach Wilmington at noon they did not go to sleep but decided to wait until they arrived here. During the morning they were on deck and joking with each other little dreaming of the sad event that was to take Captain Edge off so suddenly. Captain Ward was almost overcome with grief because of the loss of his friend and comrade.

Captain Register stated last night that he would never forget the look on Captain Edge's face as he struggled in the water to keep afloat. He threw pieces of wood to him but he was so overcome with fright that he failed to grasp any of them. In spite of the fact that he could not swim he managed to keep his head above the water for several minutes before he sank, and, it is said, covered half the distance to suore.

Captain Register stated that the cotton was still burning on the boat when he left late yesterday afternoon. All of the wooden work was burned down to iron hull. She was still afloat and was left anchored at the point where she was run aground.

Henry Baldwin, colored, was at the wheel when the fire broke out and did heroic work in backing the vessel to shore. He did not leave his post of duty until he had done all in his power to save the boat and those on board.

Captain Bryant Jones, engineer, was in charge of the engine at the time of the fire, and after the vessel had been run ashore he left the engine and aided in the work of rescue. With the exception of Captain Register, in command of the boat, Captain Edge, mate; Captain Jones, engineer, and Captain Ward, assistant engineer, all of the other members of the crew were negroes. They worked heroically with the hose and fire pump, but the cotton burned so rapidly that they were unable to stop the progress of the flames and soon had to give up the effort.

The Lyon had an iron hull, but Mr. King was of the opinion that it would never be of any further service.

Miss Brisson, who was the only lady passenger on the boat, is a daughter of Mr. N. G. Brisson, a large planter of Brisson's Landing. She appeared to be very much composed and at no time did she appear frightened, it is said.

The burning of the steamer Lyon leaves the Cape Fear without a boat at present, but it is likely that arrangements will be made for the steamer Duplin to make one trip a week, leaving Monday, going clear through to Fayetteville, instead of to Tar Heel as at present. This arrangement will be continued, it is thought, until the new steamer which Mr. J. W. Brooks is having built for the Cape Fear, is completed within the next eight or ten days. The new boat will be christened "The Thelma," in honor of the youngest daughter of the owner. The "Thelma" is a good-sized boat and will be able to handle good cargoes.

MONUMENT TO DR. KERR.

Handsome Marble Shaft Erected to His Memory at Kerr, N. C.

Dr. John M. Faison, Congressman from the Third North Carolina district, was in the city yesterday, returning from Kerr, N. C., where on Thursday he attended the exercises accompanying the unveiling of a handsome monument to the memory of the late Dr. Chas. S. Kerr, of that place. Dr. Kerr was born, raised and bred in the community, for years administered to the sickness and sorrows of his people and died about two years ago, ending a life of great usefulness among his people. The monument was erected by Dr. Kerr's friends from Duplin and Sampson, a movement having been started by the Duplin and Sampson Fox Club, of which he was a member. At the unveiling Thursday Mr. J. W. S. Robinson was master of ceremonies and a large number of people were in attendance upon the beautiful exercises. Addresses appropriate to an occasion of the kind, after prayer by Rev. E. B. Carr, were made by Mr. Geo. R. Ward, of Wallace; Mr. C. J. Williams, Dr. Faison and others. All paid high tribute to Dr. Kerr, who was universally loved and esteemed in the community in which he had lived so long.

DEATH OF MISS ERLA DAVIS.

Passed Away Yesterday Morning at Home of Parents on Second Street.

Many friends were grieved to learn yesterday of the death of Miss Erla Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Davis, which occurred yesterday morning at 3:45 o'clock at the family residence, No. 513 South Second street. She had been in frail health for nearly two years, and her death was not unexpected. She was 18 years of age. She was a member of the First Baptist church, and lived a life of Christian service. Surviving her besides her parents are one sister, Miss Alma I. Davis, and one brother, Mr. D. H. Davis, both of this city. The funeral will be held this morning at 10 o'clock, from the residence, and will be conducted by her pastor, Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster. Interment will be in Oakdale cemetery.

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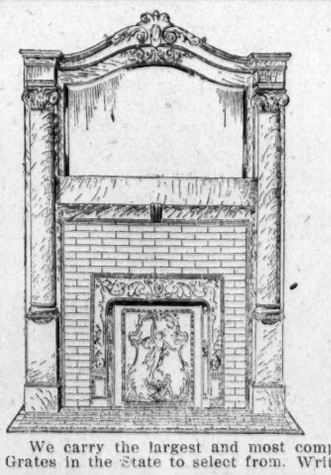

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Tickets for the concert to be given at the Boys' Brigade Monday night by Mr. Myron W. Whitney and Miss Valentine, will go on sale this morning at the store of Munson & Co.

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Mrs. H. W. Collins leaves this morning for Morven, N. C., where she will live in future in the home and with the family of Mr. F. P. Pratt. Many Wilmington friends hope that she will be pleasantly situated.

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The school authorities having authorized it, the class in extension work of the Domestic Science Department, open to all ladies of the county, will meet for the first time in the High School kitchen on Tuesday, November 18th at 3 P. M. It is the purpose of the class to give a thorough knowledge as to the chemistry and value of foods, as well as the proper methods of cooking the different food principles. A series of 12 lessons will be given for $5; individual lessons 50 cents. This will include all supplies used. All those wishing to become members of the class will kindly send their names to Miss Grace Logan or confer with her on or before Monday, November 12th.

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MOST SUCCESSFUL BAZAAR

ST. PAUL'S DORCAS SOCIETY.

The result of the bazaar last night under the auspices of the Dorcas Society of the St. Paul's Lutheran church was an unusually big success, financially as well as socially.

The ladies in charge explained that while the revival of the old fashioned bazaar primarily was to raise needed funds, last year's experience caused them to realize that there was a crying need for just such a thing as the bazaar to bring together their congregation, which has grown to more than half a thousand, and friends, in a social way. The bazaar plan was adopted, because it seems better than a banquet in that it carried an air of "hail fellow well met", the ladies as well as the gentlemen being glad to spend their money in reciprocation of felicitations from each other, which novelized the affair also.

The financial end? You saw hanging on the wall that seemingly crazy quilt? That feature alone netted $120. It is made up of blocks and these blocks contain signatures which cost 10 cents each. They sold that quilt to Mr. Geo. H. Hutaff, the highest bidder, for $25. Did you see those beautiful booths? They were loaded down with things for sale. The ladies feel very grateful to their friends and the Weather Man for their good treatment.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. H. T. Johnson, of Winnabow, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

—It will be gratifying to the many friends of Mr. R. W. McKeithan, of Supply, Brunswick county, whose critical illness was recently noted, to learn that he is much improved and is in a fair way of recovery.

—Included in the arrivals at The Southern Hotel yesterday were A. M. Woodard, Shallotte; T. C. Malpas, Wallace; N. L. Tatum and D. M. Tatum, White Oak; D. R. Blizzard, Kelly; M. S. Edge, Kelly; H. C. Corbett, Atkinson; D. L. Clark and R. B. Clark, Clarkton; J. W. Stallings, Wallace; G. T. Morgan, Councils.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Herbert Borneman, colored, charged with shooting a pistol in the streets yesterday, was arrested early this morning by the police, and placed in the city prison.

—The Dutch steamer Callisto, from Rotterdam with a cargo of sulphate of soda and other fertilizer materials for the Seaboard and Coast Line terminals, arrived in port yesterday. This steamer was here in March, making two trips to Wilmington from Rotterdam the year of 1913.

—Mr. V. E. Faulk, a well known merchant of Chadbourn, filed papers of assignment at Whiteville Thursday, naming C. D. Koonce, Esq., a well known attorney of Chadbourn, as trustee. The assets are given at $4,500, some of which is in accounts, and the liabilities at $3,300. The creditors were pushing him is the reason for the assignment.

—Mayor Moore was advised yesterday that the last car of sand ordered some weeks ago for the filters at the waterworks plant had been shipped from Norfolk. The sand is expected early next week. When it has been placed in the filters the filtering capacity of the plant will be brought up to the top notch in efficiency, it is said.

—George Nichols and Peter Haywood, both colored, were arrested yesterday afternoon on suspicion of having stolen a gold watch which was in the possession of the latter. They attempted to pawn the watch, it is stated, and "Uncle Charlie," the pawn shop man, thought that such a fine grade of watch was rather unusual for a negro to have. Haywood said it belonged to his uncle. They were locked up, and will have a hearing before the Recorder this morning.

"CLEARING HOUSE."

Established for Violations of Federal and State Food and Drug Laws.

Washington, November 14.—Federal and State food and drug officials in conference at the Department of Agriculture today unanimously agreed to undertake the establishment of a "clearing house" for violations of food and drugs laws.

The duty of the new organization will be to receive reports on all violations and see that they are brought to the attention of Federal or State authorities with power to deal with them.

The conference, called by Secretary Houston, to promote co-operation between National and State authorities, was attended by representatives of 40 States and many departmental officials and experts.

Dr. A. D. Melvin, chief of the Bureau of Animal Industry, told the conference that an investigation by his bureau has revealed that meat inspection in most of the States was inadequate.

The conference will be continued tomorrow. Tonight the visiting officials were guests at a dinner.

"RUBE" WADDELL SICK.

Goes to Texas to Combat "White Pilague."

Minneapolis, Nov. 14.—"Rube" Waddell, well known as a baseball pitcher, left Minneapolis tonight to begin a battle with tuberculosis at his sister's home in San Antonio, Texas. A short time ago a story was current that he had fallen a victim to the white plague, but he scoffed at the idea and until a week ago he believed he was suffering from a severe cold.

Since then he has been growing steadily weaker and has been in bed for several days at his home here. His physicians said tonight his chances for recovery are slight.

..Theatrical..

No play of late years has aroused as much discussion as "Kindling", which is scheduled to appear at the Academy Thursday of next week, at matinee and night. The play is as clear-cut as a cameo. The actors lose themselves in the parts they portray so realistic are the surroundings. None are called upon to utter a line that fails to ring true. While due credit must be given to Margeret Illington for her fine performance of the leading role, the fact remains that the play is there, and any capable actress could score as heavily. The company offered by Wee and Lambert is headed by Miss Anna Day, a beautiful and talented woman. The balance of the characters are in capable hands. "Kindling" promises to be the dramatic treat of the year.

Seats for both performances will be placed on sale at J. Hicks Bunting's drug store Tuesday morning.

Saturday at Grand.

Saturday at the cozy, handsome Grand is always big and glorious—and today is Saturday. So amusement-lovers of Wilmington may whet up their appetites for something extra fine today. The Grand, to especially celebrate the week-end, will present a special two-reel release film that is creating a sensation. It is Selig's great, throbbing, really thrilling political story, "The Invisible Government." It deals with the shrewd, unscrupulous politicians behind the scenes and the work of reformers. It is a film of today and will hold interest in a tight grip during every second of the two big reels. A notable cast will be seen in the portrayal, including such well known artists as Frank Weed, Jack Nelson, Thomas Carrigan, Clifford Bruce, Thomas Flynn, Alma Russell and Adrienne Kroell. It is a wonderful story of the times and should not be missed. It probably won't be if amusement lovers can crowd in at the Grand today.

But this is only one of the big features of today's show. Another fine one is the Vitagraph's "Heartbroken Shep," which is something swell in the way of a film story and which will immensely please all. Little Helen Costello takes part.

Wonderful Pictures at Bijou.

It would seem indeed that the popular Bijou has held back the best to the last, as today's bill at this, the people's favorite amusement palace, will present a wonderful collection of films and other features. It will be a glorious climax to the stupendous week that has been in progress and which has been without equal in the moving picture history of Wilmington. Today great feature films, each a brilliant star, will be to the fore, and will be led by Essanay's "Broncho Billy's Oath," which will star Mr. G. M. Anderson and it will be one of the best films of the series. It is a sensational novelty.

One of those ever clever "Cutey" films, in which this well known, funny character assumes the stellar role, along with the celebrated twins, will also be a topliner. It is entitled "Which" and it is a scream for laughter from start to hot finish. It is the merriest film ever created.

There is yet another rousing comedy photoplay on today in Edison's "The Widow's Suitors." It tells a ludicrous story of two yokels who are in love with a widow, what they do and how, finally, both lose out. Yes, the price of admission remains the same, 5 cents, afternoon and night.

DEATH OF MRS. RIVENBARK.

Aged Lady Passed Away Last Night at Home of Daughter.

Friends will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. Almira Rivenbark which occurred last night at 10 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Maggie Colvin, No. 720 1-2 South Sixth street. She was the wife of the late William Rivenbark, a Confederate soldier, who died several years ago. She was 73 years of age. While she had been in failing health for some time she was apparently getting along nicely yesterday, and her death came unexpectedly. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from the residence of her daughter, and will be conducted by her pastor, Rev. J. S. Crowley. Interment will be in Bellevue cemetery.

Arrested Twice for Speeding.

Joe Bowman, colored, was arested yesterday afternoon by Officer H. G. Bullard for exceeding the speed limit while running an automobile. Officer Bullard was riding the police motorcycle, and had Bowman run his machine to the police station. Forgetting that the officer was behind him Bowman speeded up again on the way to the station, making at least 20 miles an hour, Officer Bullard said, and when he arrived a warrant was issued by the officer charging him with violating the ordinance the second time. So this morning he will have to face two charges instead of one. Others arrested yesterday afternoon, charged with speeding, by Officer Bullard, were Mr. E. H. Schulken and Haywood Newkirk, colored.

Delgado School Honor Roll.

The honor roll of Delgado school, of which Miss Grace Boyette is principal, for the past month, follows: Seventh grade, Walter Mason; sixth, Lillie Mason; fifth, Ernest Mayham; fourth, Albert Branch, Maggie Hester, Mozelle Jarrell, Charlie Jarrell, Alberta Johnson, Alice Mason, Violet Mayham, Lunettie Watts, William Walker; third, Waters McNeill, Deliah McNeill, Ollie Smith, Esther Reynolds, Edgar Todd; second, Adel Davis; first, Joe Little. The teachers assisting Miss Boyette are Misses Minnie Williams and Lucy Williams.

Immanuel Presbyterian church, corner Front and Queen streets, Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor. Preaching tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. R. M. Baker, and tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock by the pastor. The public is cordially invited.

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CHARLOTTE IS INTERESTED.

Will Likely Give Business to New Steamship Company.

Charlotte business men are very much interested in the proposed new steamship line between Wilmington and Baltimore and New York to be established by the Southern Steamship Company, recently chartered by the Secretary of State. Mr. H. F. Morse, secretary of the company, met with the Mecklenburg Just Freight rate Association in Charlotte Thursday night and the business men of the Queen City manifested deep interest as they see in the new line a possible solution of the freight rate question in North Carolina.

Mr. Morse appeared before the association to ask that the shippers of Charlotte give a definite guarantee that they will hereafter send their business through the port of Wilmington instead of through Norfolk as formerly. It was desired that the shippers of Charlotte take stock in the company, as has been done by shippers of Wilmington. A committee was appointed to confer with Mr. Morse and put the proposition in definite shape to be placed before the business men of that city and section.

The following extracts from The Observer's account of the meeting will be of interest here:

"Mr. Cameron Morrison probably expressed the sense of the business men as well as could be said when he stated to Mr. Morse, that if he could show that his company would guarantee a cheaper rate into Wilmington than is now secured anywhere else, to Norfolk or other near-by seaport towns, and cheaper than the present 50 cent rate into Wilmington by the Clyde Line Company, that he would be in favor of the proposition and that the people of North Carolina would see to it that this rate was reflected throughout the State, as it was done from every other seaport town on earth with the sole and only exception of Wilmington.

"'What we want,' said Mr. Morrison, 'is that you will guarantee us a through way-bill from any point to any point and are willing to accept as your part upon the through haul, that part of the entire freight charge which is based upon the underlying principle, as recognized by the Inter-State Commerce Commission, that fixes all rates.'

"'If you will put that in writing,' said Mr. Morse, 'I will sign it. I have the authority to sign any agreement with the exception of a tariff schedule and that must be made by the directors of my company.'

"Mr. T. T. Allison was very much of the opinion that unless a tariff schedule were submitted it would be useless to attempt to get Charlotte shippers to subscribe to the stock of the company; but that once it were shown that the Southern Steamship Company would give better rates to this city, no trouble would be met in selling all the stock here his company might desire in a $125,000 company as outlined by Mr. Morse.

"'It is the biggest factor in solving the freight rate proposition that we have had in years,' said Mr. Cameron Morrison in speaking of the proposition after the meeting adjourned, 'If we can just get a steamship company that will give us this through freight bill of lading and will even guarantee us a rate as low as the Clyde Line Company. The trouble now is that the railroads get out upon the statement that the Clyde Line Company does not issue a through freight bill of lading and the consequence is that while Wilmington gets the advantage of having a water-front, the towns outside of the corporate limits get no advantage. The water rate is not reflected 10 miles from the city.

"'If this company does what Mr. Morse says it is going to do, and I do not doubt his word, it will solve the freight rate proposition for it will mean that every railroad doing business in this State will have to meet the rate given by them and it will mean that the Inter-State Commerce Commission can force them to give us a rate on through freight will compare favorably with other points.'

"Col. Robert Stride, of Southport, asked Mr. Morse if his company would be willing to stop their boats at the new pier which has recently been erected there and which was erected under the belief that the Clyde Line boats would stop. He was told that the Southern Steamship Company's boats would stop whenever notified that there was freight to be hauled. This was satisfactory to the Southport financier."

FEDERAL COURT YESTERDAY.

Practically All Day Taken Up With Trial of One Case.

Practically all of yesterday in the Federal Court was taken up with the trial of the case of Joseph W. Little, trustee of Ed. N. Penny Co., bankrupt, against the American National Bank, which was begun Thursday.

It was an action growing out of the failure of the Ed. N. Penny Co. It was alleged that $1,400 worth of goods were sold a short time prior to the failure of the company and the proceeds applied on a note the American National Bank held against E. N. Penny Co. for $3,500. The purpose of suit was to make the bank refund the $1,400 for the benefit of all the creditors. The verdict was in favor of the plaintiff for $1,381.

Late yesterday afternoon the trial of J. B. Rochelle against the Cumberland Lumber Company was taken up. While working on the yards of the company in 1907 the plaintiff was caught between some cars which were being shifted, and was injured to such an extent that his right leg had to be amputated. He is asking for $20,000. Shortly after the injury was received an agreement was made between Rochelle and the lumber company by which he was to receive $150 and release them from all right to be sued, it is stated. They, in their turn, it is alleged, were to give him a position so long as they were sawing in the vicinity in which the accident occurred. This part of the understanding, according to the complaint of the plaintiff, has not been kept.

Several witnesses were examined yesterday afternoon, and the trial was still in progress when court adjourned.

FOOTBALL THIS AFTERNOON.

Wilmington High School and Marion Will Play at Hilton Park.

The Wilmington High School will play its fifth game of football for the season with the Marion High School this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at Hilton Park. Marion is the strongest team in eastern South Carolina, and Wilmington will have a foe worthy of her mettle. The Marion boys average 150 pounds to a man, it is stated, but this does not mean that they will not have a hard struggle this afternoon as Wilmington is in prime condition for the fray. The High School boys have won all the games that they have played so far this season although in several cases they have played teams that were heavier than they. They stand an excellent chance to secure the State High School championship. The game will be called promptly at 3:30 o'clock. The admission is free, and the public is cordially invited to see the game.

REPORT DISSECTED.

Capt. Thos. D. Meares Gives Analysis of Health Auditor.

At the request of the City Council, Capt. Thos. D. Meares, city clerk and treasurer, has prepared a statement, analyzing to some extent, the report of the auditor on the receipts and disbursements of the consolidated health department for the period of June 1st to August 31st. He deals only with the city's pro rata share, which is shown for the different items as follows:

General officers—Appropriation $3,695; audited $2,040 for general officers and $1,214 for sanitary police; unexpended $440.98.

Disinfectants—Appropriation $150; audited $116.44; unexpended $33,56.

Medicines for poor—Appropriation $100; audited $122.71; overdrawn $22.71.

Printing and stationery—Appropriation $100; audited $132.65; overdrawn $32.65.

Laboratory supplies—Appropriation $50; audited $4.81; unexpended $45.19.

Maintenance conveyance—Appropriation $75; audited $66.42; unexpended $8.58.

Uniforms—Appropriation $150; unexpended $150.

Attendance, Board of Health—Appriation $100; audited $96; unexpended $4.

Contingent Fund — Appropriation $150; audited $663.52; overdrawn $513.52.

Scavenging—Budget $2,304.50; collections $1.549.45; a total of $3,853.95; audited $2,681.83; unexpended $1,172.12. The appropriation for garbage amounted to $150, but it cost $852.32. After making up the difference between the appropriation and the actual cost of the garbage removal from the scavenging fund, Capt. Meares shows that there should be to the credit of this fund $694.32 on August 31st.

Incinerator—Appropriation $600; audited $385.57; unexpended $214.43.

Totals—Appropriation $9.181.95; audited $8,376.29; unexpended $2,868.86; overdrawn $1,263.20.

Total pro rata of budget and collections $9,181.95; total expenditures $8,376.29; balance on hand September 1st, $805.66.

MAY HAVE THOMAS LOCATED.

Chairman Willard Offers Reward for Middle Sound Murderer.

Sheriff Cowan received a telephone message from a private citizen at Burgaw yesterday stating that it was thought that Walter Thomas, colored, who is wanted in this county for murder of Tim Allen, also colored, was in that vicinity and that an effort would be made to capture him provided there was a reward for his arrest. It was stated that owing to the fact that Thomas is a desperate character no chances would be taken with him unless there was a reward.

Sheriff Cowan reported the fact to Chairman Willard, of the Board of County Commissioners, who was authorized at the last meeting of the board to offer a reward for a fugitive from justice upon notification of the sheriff that he had used due diligence and had been unable to apprehend the man. Chairman Willard authorized Sheriff Cowan to offer $50 reward for the negro. This information was telegraphed by Sheriff Cowan to the citizen at Burgaw making the inquiry.

It was expected that the Burgaw citizen would make the arrest during the night if at all.

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Financial and Commercial

COTTON MARKET IS FIRMER

Decidedly Firmer Yesterday on a More Substantial and Aggressive Demand—Final Prices Showed Slight Reaction.

New York, Nov. 14.—The cotton market was decidedly firmer today on a more general and aggressive demand. January contracts sold up to 13.43 or 20 points above the closing figures of last night, and about $2.85 per bale above the low level of last Monday. The record-breaking consumption by domestic mills for the month of October as reported by the Census Bureau, talk of bullish ginning returns, better trade reports from Manchester and a crop estimate of only 13,925,000 bales by a local authority, were all factors on the advance which seemed to reflect a broadening outside interest, as well as covering by recent sellers.

Final prices showed reactions of 5 to 6 points from the best under realing, but the market was steady at a net advance of 36 points on November and of 21 to 26 points on the general list.

Cables were better than due and the opening here was at an advance of 8 to 10 points. There were occasional slight reactions during the day, but offerings were at no time heavy and the general tendency of prices was upward until active months showed net gains of from 27 to 31 points. Manchester cables reported a better demand from China and the activity of domestic mills during October evidently attracted more attention than a relatively rapid increase in mill stocks which were 1,072,000 bales on October 31st, against 908,989 bales at the same time last year.

A bullish visible supply statement helped the late advance, while the talk of a steady interior spot situation was colored to some extent by the absence of any important selling pressure from the South.

Spot cotton steady; middling uplands, 13.90; middling gulf, 14.15; no sales.

Cotton futures closing:

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Nov	12.96	.....	.....	13.30
Dec	13.40	13.65	13.39	13.59
Jan	13.24	13.43	13.21	13.36
Feb	13.15	.....	.....	13.34
Mar	13.31	13.52	13.30	13.48
Apr	.....	.....	.....	13.40
May	13.25	13.45	13.25	13.41
June	.....	.....	.....	13.36
July	13.15	13.35	13.15	13.30
Aug	12.86	.....	.....	13.05

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 13½; net receipts, 18,432; gross receipts, 18,432; sales, 444; stock, 244,175; Great Britain, 18,461; France, 10,290; continent, 3,940; coastwise, 7,132.

New Orleans—Steady, 13 5-16; net receipts, 13,261; gross receipts, 13,510; sales, 4,669; stock, 200,929; coastwise, 1,189.

Mobile—Steady, 13⅜; net receipts, 4,493; gross receipts, 4,493; sales, 225; stock, 56,786; coastwise, 443.

Savannah—Steady, 13⅜; net receipts, 9,230; gross receipts, 9,230; sales, 2,529; stock, 229,066; France, 5,210; continent, 600; coastwise, 9,709.

Charleston—Steady, 13 9-16; net receipts, 4,084; gross receipts, 4,084; sales, 100; stock, 87,443; coastwise, 1,067.

Wilmington—Steady, 13⅜; net receipts, 2,659; gross receipts, 2,659; stock, 41,443.

Norfolk—Steady, 13½; net receipts, 5,495; gross receipts, 5,495; sales, 771; stock, 34,874; coastwise, 2,072.

Baltimore — Nominal, 13½; net receipts, 5,026; gross receipts, 7,526; stock, 9,835; continent, 4,449.

New York—Steady, 13.90; gross receipts, 4,997; sales, 800; stock, 39,668; coastwise, 5,024.

Boston—Steady, 13.90; net receipts, 67; gross receipts, 2,576; stock, 3,449.

Philadelphia—Steady, 14.15; gross receipts, 564; stock, 4,748.

Texas City—Net receipts, 7,771; gross receipts, 7,771; stock, 6,632; Great Britain, 15,216; Mexico, 940.

Brunswick—Net receipts, 15,222; gross receipts, 15,222; stock, 32,427; coastwise 1,016.

Aransas Pass—Net receipts, 367; gross receipts, 367; stock, 3,207; coastwise, 76.

Jacksonville—Net receipts, 1,688; gross receipts, 1,688; stock, 1,174; coastwise, 1,524.

Newport News—Net receipts, 2,986; gross receipts, 2,986; continent, 2,986.

San Francisco—Net receipts, 6,915; gross receipts, 6,915; Japan, 6,915.

Total today at all ports—Net, 97,696; Great Britain, 33,677; France, 15,500; continent, 8,986; Japan, 6,915; Mexico, 940; stock, 904,856.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 508,168; Great Britain, 132,925; France, 53,393; continent, 147,931; Japan, 9,349; Mexico, 3,260.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 4,430,967; Great Britain, 1,155,197; France, 541,148; continent, 1,326,707; Japan, 86,720; Mexico, 13,866.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 13⅝; net receipts, 12,119; gross receipts, 12,119; shipments, 9,567; sales, 7,689; stock, 171,354.

Augusta—Steady, 13⅜; net receipts, 2,092; gross receipts, 2,396; shipments, 1,378; sales, 955; stock, 54,070.

Memphis—Steady, 13½; net receipts, 7,585; gross receipts, 9,997; shipments, 7,039; sales, 5,500; stock, 125,885.

St. Louis—Dull, 13½; net receipts, 208; gross receipts, 1,965; shipments, 2,090; stock, 9,657.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 2,390; gross receipts, 2,390; shipments, 2,582; stock, 11,272.

Little Rock—Quiet, 13.00; net receipts, 1,084; gross receipts, 1,084; shipments, 1,477; stock, 30,932.

Louisville—Firm, 13⅜; net receipts, 838; gross receipts, 838; shipments, 10; sales, 908; stock, 320.

Total today—Net receipts, 20,916; gross receipts, 31,389; shipments, 24,743; sales, 15,052; stock, 400,498.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Nov. 14.—Spot, good business done; prices, steady; middling fair, 7.91; good middling, 7.61; middling, 7.47; low middling, 7.25; good ordinary, 6.61; ordinary, 6.27.

Sales, 12,000, including 10,700 American and 2,000 for speculation and export. Receipts, 35,000, including 29,700 American.

Futures closed firm. November, 7.26; November-December, 7.13; December-January, 7.11; January-February, 7.10½; Feebruary-March, 7.11; March-April, 7.11½; April-May, 7.12; May-June, 7.12¼; June-July, 7.00½; July-August, 7.07¼; August-September, 6.91; September-October, 6.63; October-November, 6.53.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Nov. 14.—Call money, firm, at 3@3¾; ruling rate, 3¾; closing bid, 3¼@3½. Time loans, steady. Sixty and ninety days, 5; six months, 4½@5 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5¾@6 per cent. Sterling exchange, firm; sixty days, 4.81; demand, 4.8525. Commercial bills, 4.80¼. Bar silver, 59½. Mexican dollars, 46. Government bonds, firm. Railroad bonds firm.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Nov. 14.—Cotton goods were steady. Yarns ruled quiet. Foreign wools were firm and quiet. Domestic Texas wool is offered at prices beyond sellers' views at the present time. Silk crepes were more abundant. Fine printed cottons sold more freely.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Nov. 14.—Turpentine—Firm. Savannah, Nov. 14.—Turpentine—Firm at 43½. Sales, 246; receipts, 753; shipments, 284; stocks, 29,569.

317; shipments, 1,398; stocks, 104,191. Quote: Rosin—Firm. Sales, 3,323; receipts, 2,-A, B, C, D, 3.60; E, F, G, 3.60 to 3.80; H, 3.90 to 3.85; I, 3.85; K, 4.45; M, 5.05; N, 6.00; W G, 6.50; W W, 6.55.

WEEKLY COTTON STATEMENT

Market Recovered Some of Its Recent Losses During Past Three or Four Days—Nearly Five Dollars a Bale Up.

New York, November 14.—The cotton market has recovered parts of its recent loss during the past three or four days and at the close of business tonight, January contracts were selling around 13.35 comparing with 12.86 the low level of last Monday and 13.85, the high point of the season.

The selling movement which developed on increased estimates of the crop during the first week of November seemed to culminate on the break of about a cent a pound, while there was sufficient trade buying around 13 cents for the Spring months to steady prices and cause moderate rallies. Trading remained comparitively quiet until today when demand seemed to be broadening on renewed confidence in smaller crop estimates and bullish estimates of domestic mill requirements.

After the close tonight, however, sentiment still appeared to be more or less mixed, bears claiming that outside conditions were against any sustained advance, and some of the more extreme bulls predicting that with continued steadiness in the South, the present upward movement would carry prices into new high ground for the season.

The census supply and distribution report, showing domestic mill consumption of 543,000 bales for October was said to establish a new high record for a single month, but domestic mill stocks are not in excess of last year and there had been continued reports from abroad of curtailment in continent mill circles, while tight money markets and unsettled political conditions probably served to encourage scattered selling on the advance.

Only one estimate of the crop has been issued during the week, placing the yield at 13,925,000 bales including linters, but this in connection with talk of bullish ginning returns for the period ending last night, appeared largely responsible for the renewde confidence of the local bulls while the recovering of near-month shorts has been accompanied by rumors of ocean freight-room engagements for shipments from the local stock and talk of a bullish revision of spot differences at the meeting of the New York revision committee next Wednesday.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

New York, Nov. 14.—For the week ending Friday, Nov. 14:

Net receipts, at all U. S. ports during the week, 507,968.

Net receipts at all U. S. ports same week last year, 357,720.

Total receipts since September 1st, 4,430,767.

Total receipts to same date last year, 4,437,516.

Exports for the week, 346,860.

Exports for same week last year, 372,638.

Total exports since September 1st, 3,123,638.

Total exports same date last year, 3,051,668.

Stock at all United States ports, 994,856.

Stock at all United States ports same time last year, 1,252,076.

Stock at all interior towns, 616,394.

Stock at all interior towns same time last year, 577,537.

Stock at Liverpool, 651,000.

Stock at Liverpool same time last year, 741,000.

Stock of American afloat for Great Britain same time last year, 559,000.

COTTON RECEIPTS.

New York, Nov. 14.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston	1,410,784
New Orleans	471,831
Mobile	186,317
Savannah	1,045,068
Charleston	287,121
Wilmington	239,877
Norfolk	200,849
Baltimore	37,716
New York	468
Boston	3,348
Newport News	13,060
Philadelphia	38
San Francisco	58,002
Brunswick	172,665
Pensacola	56,253
Port Arthur	8,193
Jacksonville	14,345
Texas City	160,255
Tacoma	12,713
Aransas Pass	36,431
Seattle	12,973
Minor Ports	1,556
Total bales	4,430,767

WHEAT FAIRLY STEADY.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—Heaviness pervaded the wheat market today the greater part of the time.

Stocks were reported to be rapidly accumulating Southwest, and there was pressure by offerings here from Nebraska. Closing prices, though steady, were ⅛ to ¼ under last night. Other articles all showed a net gain. Corn, ⅛ to¼c.; oats, a shade to ⅛@¼, and provisions, 7½ to 20.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 95½@96; No. 2, hard, 87½@88½; No. 2, Northern, 88@90; No. 2, Spring, 87@88.

Corn—No. 2, 73; No. 2, white, 73¼@73½; No. 2, yellow, 73¼.

Oats—No. 2, white, 41¼@42; standard, 40¾@41.

Wheat—December, 86; May, 90⅞.

Corn—December, 69⅝; May, 70⅝@70½.

Oats—December, 38½@38⅝; May, 42⅛.

Pork—January, 20.65; May, 20.65.

Lard—January, 11.02½; May, 11.22½.

Ribs—January, 11.05; May, 11.15.

DUN'S REPORT.

Storms Cause Interruption to Business—Situation Fair.

New York, Nov. 14.—Dun's Review tomorrow will say:

"Severe storms this week caused interruption to business in certain sections and also involved considerable property loss. Outdoor work was hindered and railroad traffic impeded, the consequent check to the movement of freight affected both manufacturing and distribution somewhat. Advantages accrued, however, from the low temperatures and snow which accelerated the demand for heavy weight apparel, footwear and fuel.

"Broadly considered, the mercantile and industrial situation continues fairly satisfactory and signs of trade recession are by no means uniform. Rather more encouraging condiwtions prevail in iron and steel.

Developments in the Mexican situation were an important factor in financial circles with the better outlook reflected in a more confident feeling and a rising tendency in securities.

Failures this week numbered 299 in the United States against 271 last year, and 42 in Canada compared with 37 a year ago.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 13.—William Dudley Foulke, of Richmond, Ind., today was re-elected president of the National Municipal League. C. R. Woodruff, of Philadelphia, was re-elected secretary. John Stewart Bryan, of Richmond, was added to the list of vice presidents.

SMALL GAINS IN STOCKS

Mixed Price Movement and Considerable Confusion in Speculative Sentiment During Day—Show Small Gains.

New York, Nov. 14.—At the end of a day of mixed price movement and considerable confusion in speculative sentiment, the principal stocks showed net gains of fair proportions. Business was almost entirely professional and traders concerned themselves primarily with estimating to interpret the news from Mexico.

The Mexican situation has exercised a steadily increasing influence on the stock market during the last few weeks, until at present it is recognized as overshadowing all other considerations. The improvement lost yesterday on the hopeful utterances of the President, was continued in early trading today. Advices regarding Mexico were conflicting, however, and the market gradually fell back until the rise was lost. Late in the session the market picked up again.

The readiness with which the market yielded after the opening rise was due in part to the desire of traders to realize on holdings of long stock.

Foreign buying was an important influence. Large purchases of steel, Union Pacific and Amalgamated were made for foreign account. The brisk rise here at the opening was due largely to the advance in London.

New Haven was again weak reaching a new low level at 75 1-4. The Southern Pacific strike caused that stock to drag behind and Missouri Pacific was affected by a continuance of the selling which has been in progress. Assets realization dropped 3 points, extending its decline this week to 14 points.

Bonds showed an improved tone. Total sales, par value $1,730,000. United States 4s advanced 1-2 on call. Total stock sales 241,800, including Lehigh Valley 3,800; L. & N. 100; N. & W. 900; Reading 32,100; Southern Railway 2,500; do preferred 400; Tenn. Copper 200; Union Pacific 30,200; United States Steel 49,500.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	70¼
American Agricultural	42½
American Beet Sugar	23¾
American Can	28⅝
American Can, pfd	89¼
American Car and Foundry	43½
American Cotton Oil	38
American Ice Securities	20⅝
American Linseed	9¾
American Locomotive	29
American Smelting and Ref	62¼
Amer. Smelting and Ref., pfd	98
American Sugar Ref	107
American Tel. and Tel	119
American Tobacco	227
Anaconda Mining Co	34¼
Atchison	92
Atchison, pfd	97
Atlantic Coast Line	114½
Baltimore and Ohio	92⅜
Bethlehem Steel	28⅜
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	80¼
Canadian Pacific	224½
Central Leather	24⅜
Chesapeake and Ohio	56¼
Chicago Great Western	11¼
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	99
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Chicago and North Western	125
Colorado Fuel and Iron	26⅜
Consolidated Gas	127½
Corn Products	9¼
Delaware and Hudson	150½
Denver and Rio Grande	17⅜
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	28¼
Distillers' Securities	16
Erie	26⅞
Erie, 1st pfd	40
Erie, 2nd pfd	33½
General Electric	139½
Great Northern, pfd	123½
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	32
Illinois Central	106
Interborough-Met	13⅞
Interborough-Met., pfd	38½
Inter-Harvester	102
Inter-Marine, pfd	13½
International Paper	7½
International Pump	5⅞
Kansas City Southern	24½
Laciede Gas	95
Lehigh Valley	147¼
Louisville and Nashville	131
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	126
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	19½
Missouri Pacific	26
National Biscuit	118
National Lead	43
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	12⅞
New York Central	95¼
New York, Ont. and Western	25½
Norfolk and Western	103
North American	71
Northern Pacific	107
Pacific Mail	29¼
Pennsylvania	109¼
People's Gas	121⅜
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	82½
Pittsburg Coal	18½
Pressed Steel Car	24
Pullman Palace Car	152½
Reading	169¼
Republic Iron and Steel	18⅜
Republic Iron and Steel, pfd	78⅜
Rock Island Co	14½
Rock Island Co., pfd	23
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	8½
Seaboard Air Line	16⅜
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	14½
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	23
Southern Pacific	85⅞
Southern Railway	21⅝
Southern Railway, pfd	75
Tennessee Copper	28⅜
Texas and Pacific	13
Union Pacific	150⅜
Union Pacific, pfd	80⅞
United States Realty	53
United States Rubber (ex. right)	53⅝
United States Steel	56
United States Steel, pfd	105
Utah Copper	48⅜
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	27½
Wabash	3⅞
Wabash, pfd	10¼
Western Maryland	35½
Western Union	62
Westinghouse Electric	65¼
Wheeling and Lake Erie	4½
L. and M	120¼
L. and M., pfd	110
Lorillard	102
Lorillard, pfd	110

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Nov. 14.—Wheat—Irregular. No. 2, red, 96½@98; No. 1, Northern Duluth, 95.

Corn—Firm, 80½.

Flour—Steady.

Hides—Easy.

Leather—Firm.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Steady.

Rice—Firm.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw, firm; refined, quiet.

Butter—Unchanged.

Cheese—Firm.

Coffee—Spot, quiet; No. 7, Rio, 9¾; No. 4, Santos, 9¾; mild, quiet; Cordova, 13½@16½.

Potatoes—Steady, unchanged.

Peanuts—Steady, unchanged.

Freights—Steady, unchnaged.

Cabbages—Steady, unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Higher today, on reports of improvement in the demand for compound and cooking oils, firmer crude markets, covering of shorts and with the strength in lard. Closing prices were 1 to 6 points net higher. Sales, 5,500. Prime crude, 600 sales; prime Summer yellow, 608,710; November, 6.99; December, 7.04; January, 7.12; February, 7.21; March, 7.32; April, 7.36; May, 7.42; July, 7.50. Prime Winter yellow, 7.00@7.75; prime Summer white, 7.40@8.00.

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Str. Callisto (Dutch), 2,284 tons, Wiebes, Rotterdam, Heidge & Co.

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List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Callisto (Dutch), 2,284 tons, Wiebes, Helde & Co.

Str. Holtye (Br.), 2,714 tons, Roff, Helde & Co.

Str. Nora (Br.), 2,539 tons, James, Harde Co.

Schooners.

Schr. John Twohy, 900 tons, Mafflitt & Wood (in distress).

Barkentine.

Barkentine Bruce Hawkins, 546 tons, Brown, Mafflitt & Wood.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at the Port.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 14.

Atlantic Coast Line—2,576 bales cotton; 7 barrels tar.

Seaboard Air Line—55 bales cotton.

Clyde Line—28 bales cotton.

Black River—6 casks spirits turpentine.

Schr. Clarence H.—14 casks spirits turpentine; 60 barrels rosin.

Addie May—13 casks spirits turpentine; 83 barrels rosin.

Total—2,650 bales cotton; 33 casks spirits turpentine; 143 barrels rosin; 7 barrels tar.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 14.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Steady, at 42½ cents per gallon.

ROSIN—Steady, $3.55.

TAR—Firm, at $2.20 per barrel; in casks 10½c. per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $2.00 per barrel for hard; $3.00 per barrel for dip, and $3.00 per barrel for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 37c; rosin, $3.75; tar, $2.20; crude turpentine, firm, at $3.25@$4.25 to $4.25.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	33
Rosin	143
Tar	7
Crude Turpentine	(—)

Receipts same day last year — Spirits turpentine, 17 casks; rosin, 130 barrels; tar, 41 barrels; crude turpentine, 10 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Spot, 13⅜ for middling. Same day last year, 12c.

Receipts, 2,659. Same day last year, 4,089 bales.

Total receipts, since Sept. 1, 230,385 bales.

Total receipts same time last year, 190,650 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredits, Nov. 8.)

CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, 85c. per bu. Sweet potatoes, new, 40 to 50c, very dull.

PEAS—White, $2.50 per bushel.

BEEF—Native, dressed, very dull, 6 to 8c.

PORK—Small, 9@11c.

WOOL—Burry, 11 to 12c. per lb.; free 17c. per lb.

HIDES—Green salt, 11c; dry flints, 14@16c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, 23c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 15½c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 27@28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm, 4½@5c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, good demand. Grown, 40 to 45c.; Spring chickens, 15@35c. per head.

EGGS—26@27. Good demand.

head; very dull; no sales. Lambs, $1.50 to $2.50 per head.

TURKEYS—Live, on foot, 18 to 20c. per lb.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)
Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 8.

Market—Steady.

North Carolinas—No. 1, prime hand-picked, 80c.; machine-picked, 75c.

Spanish—Prime, hand-picked, $1.00; machine-picked, 90c.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 80c.; machine-picked, 75c.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.

Spanish—Farmers' new Spanish, $1.20 per bu.

Virginias—Fancy Jumbo, 3¾c. per lb.; Fancy Hand-Picked, 3½c. per lb. Extra Prime, 3¼c. per lb.; Shelling Stock, 2 to 2½c. per lb.

HESTER'S WEEKLY REPORT.

New Orleans Cotton Exchange Statement Shows Increase.

New Orleans, November 14.—Secretary Hester's weekly New Orleans cotton exchange statement issued today shows for the 14 days of November an increase over last year, of 83,000.

For the 75 days of the season that have lapsed the aggregate is ahead of the 75 days of last year 260,000.

The amount brought into sight during the past week has been 733,012 bales, against 709,555 for the seven days ending this date last year, and for the 14 days of November it has been 1,433,177, against 1,349,690 last year.

The movement since September 1st shows receipts at all United States ports 4,429,701, against 4,336,199 last year. Overland across the Mississippi, Ohio and Potomac rivers to Northern mills and Canada 242,373, against 233,390 last year; interior stocks in excess of those held at the close of the commercial year 502,797, against 488,546 last year; Southern mills' takings 796,000, against 653,142 last year.

The total movement for the 75 days of the season from September 1st to date $5,970,871, against 5,711,277 last year.

Foreign exports for the week have been 347,541, against 367,695 last year, making the total thus far for the season 3,140,787, against 3,005,113 last year.

The total takings of American mills, North, South and Canada, thus far for the season have been 1,567,283, against 1,287,635 last year. Stocks at the seaseaboard and the 29 leading Southern interior centers have increased during the week 145,715 bales, against an increase during the corresponding period last season of 142,035 and are now 194,024 smaler than at this date in 1912.

Including stocks left over at ports and interior towns from the last crop and the number of bales brought into sight thus far from the new crop, the supply to date is 6,297,288, against 6,075,990 for the same period last year.

HESTER'S STATEMENT.

Of World's Visible Supply of Cotton As Issued Yesterday.

New Orleans, November 14.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton issued today shows the total visible to be 4,808,324, against 4,518,073 last week and 5,049,060 last yearr. Of this the total of American cotton is 3,674,324, against 3,405,073 last week and 4,178,060 last year and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 1,134,000, against 1,113,0000 last week and 871,000 last year. Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and continental Europe 2,519,000, against 2,661,000 last year; in Egypt 299,000, against 247,000 last year; in India 401,000, against 320,000 last year and in the United States 1,589,000, against 1,821,000 last year.

'Wooster, Ohio, Nov. 13.—Three persons were killed and a dozen injured, one probably fatallly, when eastbound Pennsylvania Railroad train No. 17 was wrecked near here tonight. The passenger train was derailed, fell on another track in the path of a freight train and the second accident caused the fatalities.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

November 15, 1[illegible]

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 49 degrees; at 8 P. M., 65 degrees; maximum, 74 degrees; minimum, 48 degrees; mean, 61 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, to date, .63.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 10 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair in east; local rains and colder Saturday or Saturday night in west portion; Sunday, partly cloudy.

The Port Calendar, Nov. 15.

Sun rises ..... 6:44 A. M.
Sun sets ..... 5:00 P. M.
Day's length ..... 10 hrs. 25 min.

	Tides. High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	10:47	10:52	5:44	6:31
Southport	8:27	8:37	2:18	3:03
Masonboro Inlet	8:16	8:26	1:58	2:43

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

November 14, 1913.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Lowest Last Night.	Precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	cloudy	72	62	.0
Asheville	cloudy	68	38	.0
Atlanta	cloudy	68	50	.0
Augusta	clear	74	38	.0
Birmingham	clear	72	48	.0
Boston	clear	54	48	.00
Charleston	clear	72	48	.0
Charlotte	cloudy	72	48	.0
Chicago	clear	44	40	.02
Galveston	clear	72	66	.0
Jacksonville	clear	74	54	.0
Memphis	cloudy	70	58	.0
Mobile	clear	72	48	.0
Montgomery	pt cldy	74	40	.0
New Orleans	clear	76	56	.0
New York	clear	54	50	.0
Oklahoma	cloudy	68	64	.0
Palestine	cloudy	76	60	.0
Pittsburg	clear	50	50	.32
Raleigh	clear	74	48	.0
Savannah	cloudy	74	54	.0
Shreveport	cloudy	74	70	.0
St. Louis	raining	48	48	1.54
Washington	cloudy	62	50	.04

MARSHALL IN ARIZONA.

Vice President to Discuss Mexican Situation With Gen. Scott.

Phoenix, Ariz., Nov. 13.—Accompanied by Governor Hunt, Representative Hayden and Adjutant General Harris, of Arizona, Vice President Marshall left here today for Sacaton, Indian Reservation to meet Gen. H. L. Scott, commanding the United States troops on the Mexican border.

According to a member of the party, the Mexican situation will be discussed.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 13.—The Leyland Line freighter Oxnian, with cotton, Capt. Robb, New Orleans to London and Antwerp, is aground in the channel between Hampton and Newport News. Efforts to float her at high tide were futile. She is of 4,042 tons net register.

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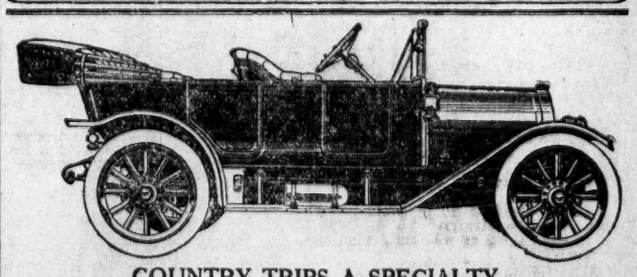

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Comptroller's Call at Close of Business October 21st, 1913.

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	$1,698,841.04	Capital Stock	$ 250,000.00
Bonds, Securities, Etc	26,769.50	Surplus and Profits.	56,934.83
U. S. Bonds	250,000.00	Circulation	250,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits	34,830.97	Dividends Unpaid.	111.00
Bank Building, Fixtures, Vault, Etc	45,055.15	Bills Payable	220,000.00
Cash and due from Banks and U. S. Treas	647,833.22	**DEPOSITS**	**1,926,284.05**
TOTAL	$2,703,329.88	TOTAL	$2,703,329.88

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CAROLINA AT THE CAPITAL.

Appointees to be Questioned—Charges Against Hammer.—Notes.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., Nov. 14.—Francis D. Winston and William C. Hammer, who have been recommended for district attorney in North Carolina, had better study up on law before they come to Washington, according to a well informed man on Department of Justice affairs. When they do appear before His Royal Highness, it is said Mr. McReynolds intends to ask them some questions. If reports are true, the questions will be, in part about as follows:

"What experience have you had before the Federal courts of North Carolina and other States?"

"What class of cases did you have before said courts?"

"What class of cases have you been employed in before other courts than the Federal?"

Another rumor that has been in circulation here is to the effect that charges will be preferred against W. C. Hammer when his nomination comes to the Senate. Just what the charges will be cannot be stated at this time, but, according to the rumor, they will be a direct result of Hammer's opposition to A. L. Auman, whose nomination for postmaster at Asheboro has been held up because of the opposition of Hammer and his following.

"I am delighted with Mr. Justice," said Attorney General McReynolds, after a conference with the Greensboro attorney. "I have assigned him to one of the biggest cases before the Department of Justice, but I do not care to say today where he will go. The Department considers itself fortunate in securing the services of this able attorney."

Mr. Justice was here today, but would not discuss his plans further than to say that he probably would take up his new work within a few days. It is learned from other sources, however, that Mr. Justice will go to the Pacific coast, where he will do some very important work for the government.

W. T. Carter and son, of Mount Airy, and Prof. M. H. Stacey and bride, of Chapel Hill, are here.

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TAFT AT WASHINGTON.

Former President Delivers Speech in National Capital.

Washington, November 14.—Asserting that the Japanese government had faithfully lived up to its treaty obligations by keeping its Coolie labor from American shores, former President Taft in an address before the National Geographic Society here tonight declared that the United States government must keep faith with Japan by not discriminating against its people.

"And," he said, "no matter what the reckless and unjust acts of thoughtless people in California or elsewhere may be, they should be restrained."

Before a distinguished gathering of scientists and government officials the former President scouted the probability of war between Japan and the United States, saying it was the last thing the statesmen of Japan desired.

"All we have to do to avoid other than business rivalry," he declared, "is to treat them as we would wish to be treated."

Speaking of the Philippine problem, Mr. Taft declared it would take at least two generations for the Filipinos to become fitted for self-government, and said that for the American government to promise within any definite time to give them independence was "very foolish."

"We shall make a serious mistake," he said, "if we follow the eloquence of the smooth-spoken Filipino politicians who are looking hungrily for the exercise of a power which they are ill adapted to wield for the benefit of their own people."

GUILTY OF MURDER.

Henry Spencer Sentenced to Death by Jury.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—Henry Spencer, confessed slayer of Mrs. Mildred Allison Rexroat, a dancing teacher, was tonight found guilty of murder. The death penalty was fixed by the jury which returned a verdict after two hours' deliberation.

Spencer was arrested October 5th. Immediately he began a wholesale confession in which he declared he had murdered 29 persons, most of them women.

Although the police proved that Spencer could not have committed many of these murders, they still believe he killed at least one or two women in addition to the dancing teacher.

Ever since his arrest Spencer has insisted that he be given death penalty. When his trial began Monday, however, his attitude in the court room was one of such violence that Prosecutor Hadley saw in it a well defined attempt to establish the belief that the defendant was insane.

Spencer was the only witness to take the stand for the defense. He testified today and for 15 minutes held the attention of the court while he cursed and reviled his own counsel and the State's attorney.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Alabama Village Wiped Out by Flames —Was Mining Town.

Gadsden, Ala., Nov. 14.—Altoona, a mining town of 2,000 inhabitants, 20 miles west of this p lace, is burning tonight. When the flames destroyed wire communication shortly before midnight a general store, a hotel, a church and the telephone exchange had been consumed. Fire apparatus has been sent to Altoona from Gadsden.

SCHEME IS NOT NEW.

Charlotte Merchant Tells of Boat Line Movement Before.

Charlotte, N. C., Nov. 14.—Apropos of the hearing given in Charlotte last night on the Wilmington steamship line, Postmaster J. H. Weddington gave The Chronicle this afternoon an interesting interview with reference to a similar movement 14 years ago.

"It was about 14 years ago,' said Mr. Weddington, 'when Charlotte shippers tired of what they considered discriminating rates upon the part of the railways and decided to promote a steamship line from Wilmington to New York. Mr. A. G. Craig, an experienced railway man, was retained by the Charlotte association for the purpose of preparing data, relative to the rates. Our idea was to engineer a reduction in the rates between Charlotte and Wilmington, just as is the intention of the promoters of the Southern Steamship Company. To the best of my rememberance, we figured that a successful consummation of our plan would mean a reduction in the first-class rate between Charlotte and New York, of somewhere in the vicinity of twenty cents per hundred pounds. For the inspection of the Inter-State Commerce Commission Mr. Craig prepared a schedule of rates between Charlotte and intervening points to Wilmington, which was based upon the exact scale of prices then in vogue to Norfolk. This prospective rate was based upon the ratio of mileage between Wilmington and Charlotte, as opposed to the practically double mileage between Charlotte and Norfolk. The commission sat in session here upon two separate occasions, but to my knowledge, has never yet expressed an opinion upon the argument which we raised, nor taken action of any kind. The State Corporation Commission was also presented with the facts at a hearing which was held in Charlotte. They turned us down flat, saying that our plan would work a horrible hardship upon the Seaboard Air Line Railway.

"'With regard to the plan which was outlined at last night's meeting, I am of the opinion that it should prove a success, for conditions and sentiment has changed during the 14 years which have intervened since our plan came to naught through the attitude of the two commissions. A ruling which the Southern Steamship Company must obtain from the Corporation Commission, in addition to the rate reduction, is one which will force the railways to handle the freight of its line straight through. Under present conditions, antagonistic railways would be forced to haul Charlotte freight at whatever reduced rates which the commission should order. It would not, however, be forced to receive freight from Charlotte to Wilmington, and at this point work in conjunction with the Southern Steamship Company. The result would be that a Charlotte shipper would be forced to maintain an agent at Wilmington, who would attend to consignment of his freight upon the steamship company, from the railway freight depot. It is hardly probable that the railways would agree to any such co-operative plan without a definite order from the powers that be.'"

RURAL RACE PROBLEMS.

Executive Committee to Meet in Shelby, N. C., Next Month.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 14.—The executive committee of the North Carolina committee of rural race problems is called by President Clarence Poe to meet in Shelby next month at the same time that the State Farmers' Union meets there. President Poe says he never knew a new idea to grow faster than this idea of setting aside some rural neighborhoods exclusively for white ownership. "Please note," said Mr. Poe, "that voluntary white segregration by people who want it is rather different from compulsory seggregation of negroes by people who don't want it. Some people are constantly confounding one with the other." Great headway was made, Mr. Poe says, during the last Legislature. The House of Representatives, composed chiefly of farmers, almost unanimously voted for a special commission to investigate the subject and suggest needed legislation to the General Assembly, and while opposition, chiefly of city lawyers, defeated the measure in the Senate by two votes, the majority of the farmers are in earnest and will push the plan to success sooner or later.

BORROW $15,000,000.

Nicaragua Makes Arrangements to Get Large Sum.

New Orleans, Nov. 14.—That the Adolf Diaz administration of Nicaragua had arranged for a $15,000,000 loan to be made before January 1st through French capitalists, was the statement made here today by Dr. Louis Sequiera, who has just arrived from Bluefields. This statement was corroberated by D. M. Nickols, of Denver, a mining man, who is said to have large mineral concessions in Central America. It is understood the money is to be used for public improvements and the liquidation of the National debt.

BLEACHERS COLLAPSED.

Many Citizens and Students at Football Game Are Hurt.

Bristol, Tenn., Nov. 14.—Many citizens and students were injured here today when temporary bleachers collapsed with a crowd gathered for the football game between Staunton and Fishburn Military Academy. Several citizens had limbs broken and others are believed to have been hurt internally. The students escaped with but slight injuries. When order had been restored, the game was played, Fishburn winning—24 to 14.

"WIRELESS TAPPERS."

More Police Graft Discovered in New York City.

New York, Nov. 14.—District Attorney Whitman confirmed today the report that he had obtained from a gang of "wireless tappers" confessions involving the payment of graft for police protection to a civilian in high authority at police headquarters, a police inspector and at least two lieutenants. Many hundreds of thousands of dollars, Mr. Whitman said, had been obtained by the swindlers under police protection.

Ten per cent. of this sum and a fixed retainer of $2,500 a month, according to the confessions, had been divided among the police officials involved.

George McRae, confessor-in-chief of the gang of five who have bared their records, is authority for the statement that a Chicago woman, whose identity is known to the district attorney, was fleeced out of $400,000 during several months by the gang in this city and that the police received ten per cent. of this sum.

Still more startling revelations are expected in the confession of two other wire tappers who have indicated their willingness to tell the district attorney all they know.

BUY CONTROLLING INTEREST.

In Street Railway and Lighting Plants in Many Southern Cities.

Knoxville, Tenn., Nov. 14.—Announcement was made here today that the United Gas & Electric Corporation of New York, has purchased from the American Cities Company control of the street railway and lighting properties in Knoxville, New Orleans, Birmingham, Little Rock and Memphis, and the lighting plant at Houston. The transfer involves property valued at several millions. Hugh McCloskey, of New Orleans, has be chosen president for the United Gas & Electric Corporation.

INCREASE APPROPRIATION.

Virginia Conference Adds Two Thousand for Randolph-Macon College.

Danville, Va., Nov. 14.—Perhaps the most important action of the Virginia conference today was the adoption of a report of the board of education increasing the appropriation for Randolph-Macon College at Ashland, by $2,000 and the signing of an agreement of John P. Branch, a millionaire Methodist layman of Richmond, contributing $25,000 unconditionally and thereby guaranteeing an endowment aggregating $150,000 including $50,000 from the General Education Board of New York.

ELEVEN INDICTED.

Men High Up Charged With Using the Mails to Defraud.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 14.—Eleven former officials of the Los Angeles Investment Company, one of the largest home-building concerns in Southern California were indicted today for alleged fraudulent use of the mails, and released, pending trial and further investigation by anidavit.

The indictment charged the defendants with having misrepresented the company's affairs in statements sent through the mails. Charles A. Elder, former president of the company, was held in the largest bail—$25,000.

AVIATOR KILLED.

Engine Stopped — Fell Into Manila Bay.

Manila, Nov. 14.—Second Lieutenant Perry Rich, of the Philippine Scouts, U. S. A., was killed today in a fall with a hydro-aeroplane into Manila Bay.

Lieutenant Rich, who was the only member of the Philippine Scouts attached to the aviation corps here, was encircling the Asiatic fleet, which was at anchor in the bay, when the accident occurred.

The accident was due to a faulty cylinder in the motor.

FIGHTING BIG FIRE.

Eight Firemen Hurt While Facing the Flames in Binghamton.

Binghamton, N. Y., Nov. 14.—Firemen tonight were still fighting a fire which started this afternoon in the M. F. Thompson specialty warehouse, in the business section, and swept a half dozen business places. The flames, however, were well under control, and it was estimated that the damage will not exceed $200,000. Eight firemen were hurt in fighting the blaze.

DR. M'CLURE TO SPEAK.

President of State Christian Endeavor to Charlotte Monday.

Charlotte, N. C., Nov. 14.—Dr. A. D. McClure, of Wilmington, is to speak at Tenth Avenue church Monday night, November 24th, in the interest of the Christian Endeavor Society, of which he is president.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Bijou—Motion Pictures.
Wil. Fruit Exchange—Bananas.
Grand Theatre—Motion Pictures.
W. Munroe & Co.—Demonstration.
Builders' Supply Co.—Everything.
C. F. Machine Works—Machinists.
Hewlett & Price—Feminine Footwear.

Business Locals.

L. T. New—Sugar.
Lost—Gold Brooch.
L. T. New—Apples.
L. T. New—Country Eggs.
Palace Market—'Phone Us.
Bornemann—Spring Chickens.
Mohr's Pressing Club—Rates.
C. H. Bornemann—Good Cake.
A. G. Warren Co.—For Sunday.
Palace Market—Dressed Chickens.
Glenwood Dairy—Sunday Cream.
J. W. Plummer—Ground Cocoanut.
C. H. Bornemann—Swift's Butterine.
C. H. Bornemann—Fox River Butter.

KILLED HIS FATHER.

Because of Ill Treatment, 17-Year-Old Boy Shot Parent.

Bristol, Tenn., Nov. 14. — Robert Wells, 17 years old, who yesterday shot and killed his father, Jerome Wells, former superintendent of the Virginia Iron, Coal and Coke Company, at Big Stone Gap, Va., because he had severely whipped his two children, and is alleged to have drawn a revolver on his wife, was today given a preliminary hearing and exonerated.

Business Locals

Advertisements inserted under this head, One Cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words, more than 25, One Cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amount being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge a Western Union Messenger to any address in the city, for advertisements in this department, upon request by 'phone to No. 51. Messengers will also call for Telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for collecting the telegrams, or advertisements for the Star, but a small charge for strictly Messenger Service. Telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams and bills will be rendered to suit the sender, daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call "Western Union," but for advertisements always call the Star office, No. 51. Locals cannot be taken over the telephone—but upon request messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

SPRING CHICKENS—Fine lot from 35c. up. Pork hams, 20c. lb.; Backbone, 20c. lb.; Sweet Potatoes, 15c. peck; Eating Apples, 40c. peck; Table Butter, 3 lbs. for $1.00; Florida Oranges, 20c. dozen; Large Florida Grape Fruit, 10c.; Cocoanuts, 5c., at C. H. Bornemann's; 'Phone 853. no15tf*

FOR SUNDAY—Cherry, orange, claret, chocolate and vanilla ice cream. Pure sweet cream, 50c. quart. A. G. Warren Ice Cream Co.; 'Phone 485. no15-tf

GENUINE FOX RIVER Creamery Butter, 35c. lb.; Small Strips Breakfast Bacon, 25c. lb.; Smoked Herrings, wooden boxes, 25c.; new Mackerel, 3 for 25c. 'Phone 853, C. H. Bornemann. no15-1t*

SUGAR, 5c.; table butter, 3 lbs., $1.00; corn, 3 cans, 25c.; New's extra quality vinegar, 10c.; raisins, figs and mince meat. 'Phone 1938. L. T. New. no15-1t

SWIFT'S PREMIUM BUTTERINE, 25c per pound carton. For a quick lunch, 'phone 853 for Boiled Ham, Pickled Pigs-feet, Sliced Ham, full Cream Cheese; also canned Pimientos and Olivies. C. H. Bornemann. no15-1t*

APPLES! APPLES! Apples—Finest quality, 5 varieties, 50c. peck; Kelfer pears, 50c. peck; grape fruit, 60c. doz.; large oranges, 60c. doz.; lemons, 20c. doz.; limes, 15c. doz. 'Phone 1938. L. T. New. no15-1t

WHEN YOU HAVE a longing for some real good Cake, 'phone 853; full supply of Pound, Layer and Jelly Cakes; also Pies, Macaroons, fresh every day, at C. H. Bornemann's. no15-1t*

MOHR'S PRESSING CLUB—Suits pressed, 40c.; overcoats, 40c.; skirts, 35c.; coat suits, 50c.; membership, $1.00 per month. 317 North Front street; 'Phone 1171. no15-1t*

COUNTRY EGGS, 30c.; hams, 20c. a pound; picnics, 15c.; fine Spring and grown chickens. 'Phone 1938. L. T. New. no15-1t

AN INTELLIGENT PERSON not afflicted with timidity, can increase earnings in spare time; affability, enthusiasm and persistence necessary. State business experience. Manager, Box 286, City. no15-1t

FOR YOUR SUNDAY CREAM 'phone Glenwood Dairy; 1760. no15-1t

EXTRA CHOICE dressed chickens and turkeys. Fancy beef, veal, lamb and country pig pork. Liver pudding, pig brains. Nice lettuce, celery, cauliflower, squash, spinach, cucumbers and fancy grape fruit. Palace Market, 108 So. Front street; 'phone 72. no15-1t

'PHONE US TODAY—Your fresh meats, fruits, vegetables and fancy groceries. We have it all. You can save time by buying your eatings at our market. All ladies and gentlemen invited to inspect our goods. Palace Market, 108 So. Front street, 'phone 72. no15-1t

LOST — Gold brooch containing photograph, Thursday, on Fifth street, between Dock and Orange, or Orange, between Fourth and Fifth. Reward for return to Mrs. E. E. Southerland, 16 N. Eighth street. no15-1t

FRESH GROUND COCOANUT, daily. Also Sherry, Vanilla, Cherry, Chocolate and Nut ice cream. Plenty of sweet cream, the very best, 50 cents per quart. 'Phone orders early for Saturday and Sunday delivery. Plummer's. 'Phone 680. no14-1t

LOST—In down town business district, A large sunburst brooch with large opal center, surrounded with 84 pearls. Finder will please return to office of A. W. Pate and receive reward. no15-1t

FAT TURKEYS, juicy steaks, choice poultry, delicious roasts, extra fine oysters, native pig pork, wild Mallard ducks, fancy lamb. Everything the market affords in vegetables and fruits. That famous all-pork sausage and fresh liver pudding; our own make. 'Phones 141, 32 and 128. J. J. Hopkins, Son & Co., Sanitary Markets. no14-2t

WANTED—Salesman to sell lubricating oils, house and barn paint and specialties. Big profits. Champion Refining Company, Cleveland, Ohio. se20,sa3mo

WANTED—Position as hotel clerk, night or day. Address "Experienced," care Star. no14-2t*

FOR RENT — Beautiful ten-room house, on car line, Sunset Park. Every city convenience. Fidelity Trust Co., 14 Princess street; 'phone 312. no14-tf

SUNDAY DINNER suggestions — Fat and tender turkeys, juicy steaks and roasts dressed chickens, pig pork, wild Mallard ducks, that famous all-pork sausage, chops of all kinds. Everything in vegetables and fruit. Also fresh liver pudding; our own make. 'Phones 141, 32 and 128. J. J. Hopkins, Son & Co., Sanitary Markets. no14-2t no15-2t

SPECIAL TODAY—Fresh country eggs, 30c. doz.; best butter, 3 lbs. for $1; mince meat, 15c., 2 for 25c.; nice Norton yam potatoes, 20c. peck; Star brand hams, 21c.; Daisy flour, 12 lb. bag, 35c. E. F. Noe, 'Phone 1174-J. 600 Castle street. no10-1t

'PHONE 1352-W—Headquarters for the best assortment of groceries in the city. Special attention given to all 'phone orders. Prompt delivery. Give us a trial. W. S. Tharp, Second and Wooster. no12-6t

OFFICES FOR RENT — 212 Princess street; also one in Purcell Hotel. See Watson & Applewhite, 210 Princess; 'Phone 65. no7-tf

COUNTRY PORK SAUSAGE, 20c. lb. Chickens, all prices. Call E. F. Noe, 'Phone 1174-J. 600 Castle street. no12-4t

OUR DIRECTORS have decided to hold the new series open for two weeks longer; 25 cents per share means $100 at maturity. Easy plan to own a home or lay up something for a rainy day. City and Suburban Building and Loan Association, Clayton Giles, president; D. H. Penton, vice-president; L. J. Carter, secretary. 'Phone 771; 114 Princess street. no4-tf

EGGS—We are still furnishing your grocer Ridgefield Guaranteed Eggs. Our butter and cheese is the highest grade obtainable. Costs no more than the common kind. Insist on your grocer furnishing you Ridgefield Brand." Independent Ice Co. no2-tf

COMING — Fresh car of horses right from the farms of Kentucky. Will be ready for inspection by Saturday. Would be glad to have you come out and look them over. Kentucky Horse and Mule Co. au29-tf

THIS COLUMN is more eagerly scanned each morning by Wilmington men and women than is the most engaging piece of news, local or otherwise, in any part of the paper. You're the loser if your announcement is not found here. One cent a word; minimum charge, 25c. Cash to accompany all orders. oc15-tf

CENT A WORD invested in this column means dollars for the small business man who doesn't care for the larger advertising. Reduction by the week or month. Give it a trial. You reach the people who buy everything from pin hooks to push carts. oc15-tf

UNREDEEMED shot guns, high grade makes, Ithaca, Remington, L. C. Smith, etc., at a bargain, at Uncle Charles' Pawn Shop, 16 S. Front street; 'Phone 642. se18-tf

NOTICE — Wanted, five hundred (500) cords of four-foot pine wood. Address Box 187 Wilmington. no4-tf

20 SHARES Post Dater Stamp Stock for sale, at a sacrifice price. Address "Stock," care Star. no14-4t*

FOR SALE—250 acres of land, two miles from Evergreen, four miles from Chadbourn, N. C. Estimated four hundred to six hundred thousand feet pine timber. Near railroad. Address Box 43, Boardman, N. C. no14-3t*

TABLE BOARDERS — Can accommodate several more with excellent table service. Rate, $18.00 per month. Few nice rooms for boarders. Apply 203 Red Cross street. no13-5t

PHOTOGRAPHER—I am in charge of the studio at 116 Market street. Glad to serve my old customers and friends when in need of good photos. The best for the price in the city. Call. Lee Greer. no9-6t

TABLE BOARDERS—Can accommodate several more with excellent table service. Rate, $18.00 per month. Also several nice rooms. Apply 203 Red Cross street. no12-6t

WANTED—Skidder foreman and track foreman; man preferred who can bring a good crew of men. Wire or write, stating salary expected and when can come. Enterprise Lumber Co., Mount Olive, N. C. no12-6t

FOR SALE—Whole or half interest in small paying dairy. Investigate. Good location. Address "Dairy," care Star. no11-6t*

WANTED—Girls to sew, making overalls. Expert operators make from $8.00 to $12.00 per week. Good board at $3.00 per week. Southern Manufacturing Co. Chester, S. C. no7-9t*

TO THE MEMBERS of the Housewives' League: I can recommend Ridgefield Creamery Butter. I sell it exclusively, received direct from the creamery in sanitary refrigerator cars. Use it in making your cakes and pastry and note the difference. Full line of fancy groceries. 'Phone 559. A. Steljes, 920 Market street. no7-tf

THE GILBERT HOUSE combines home comforts with hotel conveniences. Front and Princess streets, junction of all cars. Cars to depot. Electric lights and hot water. Table equals the best and rates reasonable. Rates to regular and table boarders. A. M. Gilbert, Prop. no6-tf

FOUND ANYTHING? It's a moral obligation you owe the owner to let him know, in this column, pay for the advertisement and receive the property. oc15-tf

FOR SALE—Motorcycle. Has been used only three weeks. Cost $200; will sell for $125.00. Chas. C. Hopkins, 18 South Front street. oc24-tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—A desirable piece of property on Second street, between Chestnut and Grace, 62x127 feet. Apply at once to E. R. Pickard, Queen City Cycle Co. oc19-tf

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